Melanic celebrated her fifth birthday last week and on Saturday had a party that started just about the same time a storm hit the area. The rain friendship and love are far more important than anything money can buy

ELBA GETS MUCH NEEDED WIN OVER OPP

The Elba Tigers got a much needed win Friday night when they clobbered the Opp Bobcats 73-55 to snap a three-game losing streak. The fact The win improved the Tigers' 11, Yelverton 32, Daniels 2, Smedthe win came over Opp wasn't important, the most important fact was that record to 8-9 and snapped a three- ley 2, Howe 12, Magwood 2, Rowe the Tigers won and won convincingly over a solid opponent. The Tigers had begun to look like a contender in January as they recled the Bobcats slipped to 5-12 with the Opp (55): Jones 9, Nelson 2, off a bunch of wins and nosed above the .500 mark for the first time this loss, season; however, three straight losses, including a lopsided loss at Enterprise, had stung the Tigers and had the players wondering once again just from the opening tip against Opp how good they really were. The losses are now forgotten and Elba is once and led by the 13-point outburst of again looking forward to the Area tournament and the chance to advance on David Yelverton pulled out to a 19to sub-state and then to the first ever Regional Tournament. These Tigers 12 lead in the opening stanza. are a solid 3A club and can win on any given night, and the win over Opp

A 10-2 run to open the second

Bobcats defeated the Tigers 66-63. Elba's David Yelverton put on quite a show Friday night as he poured in 14, and the Tigers never looked back lead in the opening stanza, but saw 32 points and grabbed 11 rebounds in the win over the Bobcats. Yelverton as Yelverton and Cory Howe dom- Opp take charge in the second quarscored 13 points in the first quarter to help the Tigers grab the lead, and by inated action and helped the Tigers ter and then pull out to a 48-42 lead the end of the first half had 23 points. He could have scored many more pull out to a lopsided 38-16 halftime after three quarters. Elba staged a points, but the win was in the bag and Yelverton got a chance to rest in the bulge. fourth quarter for bigger games that are yet to come. Elba has had many outstanding basketball players over the years; however, David Yelverton

The third quarter was a replay of the Bobcats, but fell to defeat 66-63.

Tim Williams and Tony Orden has to be as good as any and is the best to wear the black-and-gold in quite dominated play on both ends of the both scored 13 points to lead Elba,

AREA TEAMS READY FOR AREA TOURNAMENTS

The Area Tournaments are just around the corner and all teams are trying to peak at the right time. Last week didn't see any area teams reach that and grabbed 11 rebounds to lead Smith 2, Buckelew 3, K. Norris 10, peak, but it did give a preview of things to come BRANTLEY (23-1) saw its 41-game winning streak come to an end points and Che Vaughan scored 11. Elba (63): Ordon 13, Daniels 6, down in Monroeville and that means the Bulldogs can now quit worrying Tillis led Opp with 13 points. about being undefeated and just go out and win ballgames. Brantley had won so many games so easy that you had to figure the night would come when the Bulldogs would be a little flat and get knocked off. I know the Brantley players and fans are disappointed, but if the Bulldogs had to lose one, at least it came in the regular season and not during the run toward an-NEW BROCKTON (12-9) continued to go through the motions and it

now looks like the Gamecocks' season may soon reach an end. The Gamecocks have some very good players and showed against Enterprise that they

The Alabama High School Aththe Class 1A, Area 3 event, which can play well against stiff opposition; however, in recent weeks it is never letic Association will begin its will include Brantley, Kinston, back to life there is a real shot at making it to the regionals. If not, get ready

Area Tournaments begin at sites Level.

late-season slump and the Bulldogs may not yet be ready to hang up their sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers, with action to conspicuous properties of life and are sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers, with action to conspicuous properties of life and are sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers, with action to conspicuous properties of life and are sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't on any kind of roll and haven't started win-sneakers. The Bulldogs aren't started win-sneakers with the sneakers will be sn playing as hard as they can every night out. If something good can happen before the end of the season, these 'Dogs may just bite somebody in the teams at all area tournaments will then proceed to sub-state action on

ZION CHAPEL (3-13) continued to have problems winning last week, the sub-state games and the runnerbut the Rebels are still improving almost every night out and still can't be ups traveling counted out. The Rebels have come a long way this season and now have laid the foundation for much better things to come, and can't be overlooked

4 tournament and will receive a first by anyone in the upcoming tournament. Win or lose, this has been a season round bye, playing the winner of the in which Zion Chapel basketball has begun the road back to being winners.

Louisville-Luverne game in the area

ONCE OVER LIGHTLY....

***I'm not a skater, but I am tired of all the news about the Tonya Hard- which will include Geneva County, ing investigation and wish the skating officials would do something besides New Brockton, Cottonwood and simply "look into" the matter. If the police and FBI have uncovered enough Wicksburg, while Brantley will host information to make arrests, you know they know enough to either arrest Harding or declare her not guilty. For the sake of Harding, the Olympics and all the sports fans, let's end this whole soap opera now. ***The colleges signed their future stars last week and it looks like Alabama and Auburn both had good luck getting the folks they wanted. The Tide signed the #1 players in Alabama, Tennessee and Mississippi, and also got the cream of the crop in the state, while Auburn got Lee's Fred Beasley and a whole bunch of players from out of state. The two state colleges took different routes and it will be interesting to see which route leads to wins

***I can't believe anyone would hire Buddy Ryan, much less hire him as a head coach in the NFL. Ryan is a solid assistant coach and has done well as a defensive coach at Chicago and Houston, but his ego is bigger than any player in the league and anywhere he has been he has always seemed to get more attention than the teams he coached. He reminds me of Jerry Glanville in that he wants to be the center of attention, and before long he may be like Glanville in another way - out of coaching. ***Montevallo went out to Arkansas Saturday to meet the highly-rated Razorbacks and took it on the chin to the tune of 131-63. The game was set because the coaches were friends and used to coach together, and because Arkansas needed another game. With friends like that, who needs enemies?

HIGH SCHOOL Coaches needed SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, FEB.11 Zion Chapel at New Brockton Kinston at Goshen Brantley at Luverne

SATURDAY, FEB.12

Elba at Wicksburg

BASKETBALL The City of Elba recreation program is in need of volunteer coaches for the groups listed below. If you are interested in being a coach, please call City Hall and ask for Tina as soon as possible. Tee Ball - 8 years and under: Dixie Minor - 9 and 10 years old; Dixie Youth - 11 and 12 years old; Babe Ruth - 13 through 15 years of age,

THE RED BRAHMA **CLUB**

18 years of age.

Featured Band

Looking For A Party Place? Join Us! LARGEST DANCE FLOOR IN THE AREA Thursday - Sunday Hours 9 p.m. - 3 a.m.

LOCATED ON U.S. 331 3 MILES SOUTH OF OPP, AL

kinds of goodies. Melanie opened all her gifts and has already played with them all, but she would have been just as happy Saturday if there had been no gifts at all, as long as her friends came over and played. At the age of the death to be already to be already been that the same over and played. At the age of the death to be already been that the same over and played. At the age of the death to be already been that the same over and played. At the age of the death to be already been that the same over and played. At the age of the death to be already been that the same over and played. At the age of the death to be already been that the same over and played. At the age of the death to be already been that the same over and played with the same over and played. At the age of the same over and played with the same over and played. At the age of the same over and played with the same over and played with the same over and played with the same over and played. At the age of the same over and played with the same over and played with the same over an all the same ov

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game losing streak for Elba, while 3

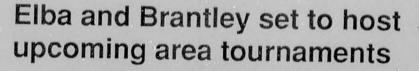
quarter stretched Elba's lead to 29- The Tigers jumped out to a 15-10

court and moved on top 58-32, while while Michael Reed and D'undray the final stanza saw all the Elba re- Peterson both added 12. Jay Jackson serves get in on the fun as the Tigers scored 16 for Opp. claimed the impressive 73-55 win. Opp (66): Burgess 6, Jewell 2, Elba, while Cory Howe added 12 T. Norris 6, Black 4, Wilford 3.

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quarter rally fall short as the Opp David Yelverton scored 32 points Peacock 12, Jackson 16, Brooks 2,

Reed 12, Peterson 12, Fleming 4.



sure which Gamecock team will show up. If the real New Brockton comes "Road to State" next week when McKenzie, Pleasant Home and Red

then proceed to sub-state action on

Geneva County (Hartford) will host the Class 2A, Area 4 tourney,

Coming Next Week

**Elba girls playing with ESJC Lady Boll Weevils

***Area tournaments are underway for Elba and area teams

*Update on new "Re gional Tourney" and look State Tournament.





FORMER PLAYERS PRESENT...Several of Coach Bryant Steele's former players were present when he was honored by New Brockton High School during a recent ceremony. The ceremony came on the eve of Steele's beahead to revamped ing inducted into the Wiregrass Sports Hall of Fame on Saturday, Jan. 29, in a ceremony held in Dothan. Pictured above are (I-r): Kneeling - Andy Harris, Doug Pittman, Ronnie Burns, and Lanny Shepard; Standing - Larry Lewis, Roger Harrison, Charles Clark, Coach Steele, Ted Fillingim, Gene Strickland, and Walter Lunsford. Harris, Burns, and Shepard played on Steele's team that won a state championship in basketball in 1964.

Basketball Briefs

Zion Chapel falls to Ariton 81-74

The Zion Chapel Rebels and Ariton Purple Cats burned the nets last and Senior Babe Ruth - 16 through Tuesday night in Ariton and when the smoke cleared it was Ariton that had Napoleon Smith and Joey Herbert both scored 16 points to lead Zion Chapel, while Chris Hodge added 15. Timmy Kilow scored 33 points to

Kinston Bulldogs caged by Coffee Springs 46-41

The Kinston Bulldogs continued their late-season woes last Tuesday night as they lost to the Coffee Springs Golden Bears 46-41, in Kinston. Jerimy Carnley scored 20 points and Tracy Hall added 10 for the Bullogs, while Chad Martin scored 16 for Coffee Springs.

Brantley humbles Highland Home 108-42

The Brantley Bulldogs made it look easy last Tuesday night as they humiliated the Highland Home Flying Squadron 108-42, in Brantley. Jimmy Burnett scored 21 points to lead the Bulldogs, while Eric Cren-shaw added 16 and Karon Howard 14. Roderick Mitchell scored 11 for

Brantley battles past Luverne 72-56

The Brantley Bulldogs improved their record to 23-0 Friday night with a 72-56 win over the Luverne Tigers, in Brantley.

The Brantley Bulldogs saw their long winning streak come to an unexpected end Saturday night as they were upset by the Monroe County Ti-Adrian Person scored 21 points to lead Brantley, while Derek Caldwell sundaes and a congratulatory speech son Hammonds. dded 19. Julius Stallworth scored 14 points for Monroe County.



Housing Authority honors players

72-56 win over the Luverne Tigers, in Brantley.

Adrian Person scored 16 points to lead Brantley, while Andretti Daniels added 15 and Jimmy Burnett scored 13. Chris Jones scored 18 points for Luverne.

Monroe County stuns Brantley 70-68

by Sue Holland, Vista Volunteer

The Elba Housing Authority received trophies.

Playing for the Bulls were: Joseph Chandler, Christopher Johnson, Agron Goodson, Dusty Watson, Chris Cardwell, Los Mitchell, Market Christopher Johnson, Chris Cardwell, Joe Mitchell, Mar-Seven boys and two coaches from vin Johnson, Coach and Ricky Chan-Morrow Village and Mullins Apart- dler, Assistant Coach. ments were honored. After ice cream Playing for the Pistons was VinARCHIVES/ COLLECTION MAN, 1-1-99 MONTGOMERY AL 36130-0100



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Elba City Council faces strong opposition to Occupational Tax

by Ferrin Cox

when the business turned to dis- the city had overspent the approved surance.

Vice President Myrna Cowen and Council members questioned ommended the council study a cur-Mrs. Cowen noted that their firm expenses were being charged to the hold parents responsible for their was currently working more than proper accounts. 800 people in the Elba plant. She ex- The council approved a lease- Parker reported parking several

She added that she had been au- wood voted against the motion. Both

Harold Bannin, who works in the ten later, Stephens said.

that to add this additional tax to the the option to buy the building at any ton commended Parker for his ef- mer) Recreation Director Ricky Mu- by Mularz. The stipulation by the could take the proper steps to get mostly female staff would make the time for the balance of the \$35,000. forts to keep down expenses. job of hiring new workers even hard- The council voted 4-2 to approve Operations Officer Henry Clark With all council members voting the taxpayer's liability in this wrong- in Montgomery. the action. McCollough and Hay-

added that it was because of the city Vaughan as City Attorney.

dustry being involved whenever any The lease English had previously further discussion takes place on this on the Elementary school lunchroom matter. He was assured by Council was granted to EDSCO Fasteners. member Earl McCollough this Daniel Stephens, representing the

presented by Bill Carr of Enterprise. to \$75 per hour.

Weatherford announces his candidacy for Circuit Judge

James H. Weatherford, Jr. has announced he will be a candidate for Circuit Judge in the 12th Judicial Circuit which is Coffee and Pike counties, Alabama. He will be seeking the position being vacated by Circuit Judge Terry Butts who is running for a vacant seat on the Supreme Court of Ala-

Weatherford is a native of Coffee County and is married to the former mary Elizabeth Armstrong. They have three daughters currently attending college. He is a graduate of New Brockton High School, attended Troy State University, is a graduate of the University of Alabama School of Commerce and Business Administration, The Cumberland School of Law and the University of Miami Graduate

School of Law. the past 20 years and during this provided him with the necessary time, asking for reimbursement



Weatherford has been in the gen- JAMES WEATHERFORD, JR.

HAPPENINGS * *

FREE INCOME TAX PREPARATION The AARP (American As

sociation of Retired Persons) is sponsoring free income tax preparation at the Senior Citizens' Center in Elba. The service will be

IOLIDAY CLOSING The New Brockton City Clerk's office will

be closed Monday, February 21, in observance of Presidents Day.

INFORMATION ON RECYCLING The Coffee County Chapter of Alabama PALS invites county residents to a meeting and discussion on the current status of recycling.. The event will be held on Feb. 23rd at 7:00 p.m. at the County Complex, Community Room, in New Brockton, David Gall, board member of Alabama PALS, will be the guest speaker.

FREE VISION SCREENING. The Southern Eye Institute and the Elba Medical Group will sponsor a free vision screening on Friday, Feb. 25th. The public is invited to attend from 9:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. at the Elba Medical Group (Dr. Lance K. Dyess' office) in Elba located at 966 N. Claxton Ave.

CEMETERY MEETING. The annual business meeting of the Danley's Crossroads Cemetery will be held at 10:00 a.m. March 5th. The meeting will convene in the politing house adjacent to the cemetery. All those interested in the upkeep and maintenance of the cemetery are invited and encouraged to attend this meeting.

would happen. Mayor Ricky Haywood repeated an earlier promise to sembly work for industry. The firm hold a town meeting, possibly in one will employ three additional people of the color plant at Dorsey Trailers, appeared before the council with a petition to the tax. He said these were Dorsey of Alabama. This will be used as a employees who had vowed to boy-parts warehouse.

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When Averett voiced his opinion of the old the commission meetings, he had attempted to get simular situations addressed that in past containing for the council with a petition the past commission meetings, he had attempted to get simular in past containing for the past containing for the council with a petition the garbane and expressed concern about the commission meetings, he had attempted to get simular in past containing for the council with the past co

cott all Elba businesses if this tax The council tabled any action on collection, they were hit with an- that he felt that residents who had residents. Others are being signed up was imposed. He asked what action paying two attorney bills presented was planned because "The people by Attorney Jackson W Stokes" other problem.

A spokesman, Glen Logsden, for fost it should receive more consideronce had the (trash) service and then at a rate of 100 per week. Mayor Haywood noted that a group from the Yellowleaf Drive, ation than those who had never had The annual city audit report was Stokes had increased his hourly fee Briarwood Drive and Heritage the service, he struck a nerve with Height area told commission mem- Commissioner Wendell Black. the audience that the city overall was asked why Stokes was hired when in good financial shape. He quickly the city council had named Mark in good financial shape. He quickly the city council had named Mark in good financial shape. He quickly the city council had named Mark in but due to some changes into the matter. pick up but due to some changes into the matter. they no longer have that service; He said, "We are here to repre-

however, the county does provide sent all the people of the county and them with garbage pick up.

Photographs taken by Logsden not any one particular group!"

After a long discussion, which at were presented to the commissioners times became heated, the commisshowing how property belonging to sioners voted to table the motion. him had become a trash dump.

Commissioner Sid Averett at
Commissioner Sid Averett at
There have been ups, there have continue with his plans to seek a seat

There have been downs, but overall it has been downs, but overall it has

low the county highway department dents' trash. to pick up the trash as a temporary measure.

There will be no charge for the service and the trash pick up will be

He noted that a number of people had urged him to qualify for both the Supreme court seat and his present

He noted that a number of people rageous, use common sense, provide a level playing field for all,

members hear parent's complaint Mrs. Carnley's response was that same.

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'concerned parent" addressing the if she would be willing for her Circuit Judgeship, but instead will in Elba on Wednesday of this week. Mrs. Nancy Carnley began her

address with the statement "Due to school related problems, I have had Please See BOE, Page 3 to take my daughter to see a psychiatrist (she later changed it to a psyeral practice of law in Enterprise for He feels that this experience has chologist) but I'm not here, at this

self and my mother, that 'your kind Monday evening to run for sheriff of iff's department.

could put it in writing or type it out.
This was agreeable with board mem-

ed that Mrs. Carnley present them His fulltime occupation as a law with the specifics in her allegation in enforcement officer began on Nonames and other details of her alle- by Sheriff Brice Paul.

problem earlier since it had obvious- For the past two years, he has

added that it was because of the city Vaughan as City Attorney.

owned electrical system that Elba

The City Council approved der on timber at the new Samson employees. He asked for approval of Bids on equipment for summer was in better condition than most cit- monthly bills of \$82,888.79. This in- Highway trash dump. They bid the hiring of two part time workers. recreation will be opened before the cluded \$70,037 for the city's part of \$14,427, which the council accepted. A femalehas been hired, working next council meeting, Clark told the hotbed of opposition Monday night The numbers in his report showed the annual Workman's Comp in- This amount will about pay the re- eight hours per week, to clean up the council. He added that the bids will cussing the proposed Occupational general fund budget by over Tax.

Surance.

Quired engineering cost of closing the dump behind Hickman Moving.

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The city had overspent the approved surance.

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Tax.

Personnel Director Bud Daniels of Kleinert's addressed the council and voiced the official company opposition to this proposed tax.

Council Michiels Questioned of Michiels Addressed the council and voiced the official company opposition to this proposed tax.

City. Carr promised to meet with the bookkeeper and insure salaries and bookkeeper and insure salaries and council to the cou

for the action and only Mayor Ricky full firing lawsuit. Haywood casting a negative vote, City Attorney Mark Vaughan was the council approved the offer. On a reportedly out of town and wasn't in plained they had to open the Greenville operation because they just lish on the gym of the old high
two bicycles. He explained this was

The Elba City Council voted a motion by John W. Sharpless, a total attendance at the Monday meeting.

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The Elba City Council voted a dollar figure Monday night to offer cash payment of \$27,500 will be of
Clark was instructed to inform Monday meeting. couldn't get and keep the necessary school. English will pay \$35,000 an effort to keep down expenses. as a settlement of the pending lawemployees in the Elba area. She said lease over the next ten years. He has Council's vote so he council is that this will settle all of this information to Mularz's attorney

thorized by Dorsey management to voice their opposition also. Everett Kelley asked about in Everett Kelley asked about in-

routine report and again rec-

children's actions.

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at first and could increase to about the later, Stephens said.

meeting was consumed by commismeasure was legal. Stephens stated the sioners talking trash.

tempted to get a motion passed to allow the county highway department dents' trash

on the Alabama Supreme Court this year.

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been one heck of a ride.

My philosophy has also

Coffee County Board of Education said:

by Marvin McIlwain

The Coffee County BOE's Mon- before now. day evening meeting began with a Supt. Bryant asked Mrs. Carnley will not seek re-election to my opening his state headquarters here

had a teacher tell my child, and my-

She stated that she had spoken to the principal of the school and the superintendent, Clayton Bryant, Clayton Bryant, Clayton Clayton Clayton Bryant, Clayton available each Thursday through April 15th from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Individuals or couples taking advantage of the service should bring their tax forms and copies of their 1992 tax returns

> alleged statement and other inci- the Coffee County Reserve Deputy Unit as a volunteer reserve deputy. Board Chairman Virgil Coleman asked Mrs. Carnley what action she Farming was Moates' fulltime ocwanted or recommended that the cupation at that time.

The board members also request-his certification as a police officer.

come before the board with this served as narcotics investigator.

His motion was amended by made on Friday. The only stipulation pare proposals and options for pro-Commissioner Robert Stephens to is that the trash be bagged. viding trash pick up for county resi-

Stephens stated that in past com- Earlier, Schnitzius told commis- the trash pick up service.

The company also agreed to pre-

Please See CCC, Page 3

He told the city council and those in Council member Brad Wilson bers that they have a trash problem. It was Black's feeling that wheth-

by Ferrin Cox Publisher

Circuit Judge Terry Butts said the last several as Presiding Judge.

be doing that.

est support has always been with 'just plain folks.' I sincerely thank the people for allowing me to serve 18 years as Circuit Judge,

seat as Circuit Judge but he will not and trust the jury. I will take that same common sense approach to In a prepared statement Butts the law to the Supreme Court." When asked to comment on the

"In December I announced my statewide race and his chances the intention to seek election to the judge said: "We have positioned Alabama Supreme Court in 1994. ourselves to win this seat." He is I shall continue to seek election to seaking the seat presently held by retiring Judge Henry Stegall of Ozark. her work schedule and other hin- Since my own term as Circuit Butts, who was accompanied by drances had prevented her coming Judge is up for election this year, his wife Suzie at the press conferit is only fair that I announce that I ence, also said that he would be daughter to see a psychologists who continue to seek election to the The headquarters will be located on Alabama Supreme Court as stated. Davis Street, diagonally across from The people of Pike and Coffee the Elba Methodist Church. Opening counties have been wonderful to ceremonies will be from 2-4 p.m.

time he has become familiar with all aspects of criminal, civil and family issues in the various Courts of Alasissues in the various Court

me through the years. My strong- Wednesday

was made by the teacher.

Upon questioning by board members, they were unable to obtain specifies from Mr. Corpley about the cifics from Mrs. Carnley about the forcement in 1984 when he joined

oard take in the matter.

In 1988, after becoming more interested in the field of law enforcebama Police Academy and received writing. It should contain dates, vember of 1989 when he was hired

One board member was con-cerned that Mrs. Carnley had not administrative assistant and he also

In making his announcement served as chief deputy of the sher- a difference," Moates said, "I intent would not be allowed to participate."

Mrs. Carnley would not name the teacher or identify the school where the alleged statement was made.

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Carnley further contends that her daughter has suffered verbal and even physical abuse from fellow students since the alleged statement Moates presently serves as chief Moates presently serves as ch



Pictured above are Ben and Cathy Moates

City Council member Earl McCollough has been picking on us again! He lowing persons admitted during the stopped out front of the office one morning recently, motioned us to his time period of February 8, 1994 truck and flashed an ice chest loaded with huge crappie. Now he knew it through February 14, 1994. was Monday morning and a very busy work day for weekly newspaper They were: Myrtle Hudson, Alice folks, but still he had to do some bragging. The story was that he had been M. Hudson, Ludyne Chandler, Zenoto Lake Eufaula early that morning (or maybe it was the night before -we bia O'Flinn, Phillip Baldwin, Mary were to busy being mad to listen well) and had caught his limit and just McKenzie, Rosa Daniels, Andrew came on back to Elba. That was one of prettiest, if not THE prettiest, pile of grappie we have ever seen and wonder who really cought those field.

Stoudmire, Harper Grant, Matthew King, Daisy Rhodes, Terry Chanof crappie we have ever seen ... we wonder who really caught those fish?

In case you haven't heard, Dr. John Kimmey had to be taken to a Dothan gers, Margaret Bartlett, Newton hospital (Flowers) this past Sunday. Close friends express opinions that he King, Mildred Warren, Evelyn will be back in Elba soon, if not already. Whatever the case, Doc would Bryant, Jeanette Tice, Janerius Bozeappreciate a visit or phone call from all those he has served so faithfully man, Sharon Burks, Ivey Daughtery, for so many years. Just say hi or maybe take time to tell him about your and Mary Daniels.

Patients discharged during the family and other friends. He still has a tremendous love for people . Doc-same period of time were: John Taytor John is deserving of each and every act of kindness he gets and a lor, Lue Head, Alvin Hurt, Ella Hud-

It was encouraging — no exciting — to hear the auditor tell the Elba City Council Monday night that the city was in good financial shape overall.

Mavis Beckworth, Alice Dannette O'Flinn, Ida Coleman, Ludybe That means we really can operate on that no-more-tax budget that Council Chandler, Janet Grissett, Annie member Bill Brunson passed out to his peers in December. We understand Marler, Danny Cole, Zadie Bouyer, Council member John Sharpless drew up one himself that was a bit differ- Myrtle Hudson, Newton King, Marent, but also balanced and without a tax increase. However, the fiscal year garet Bartlett, Charles Rodgers, Daiis half over for the City, therefore it would be awful hard to get spending sy Rhodes, Ivey Daughtery, Terry balanced for either of those proposals this late in the game.

The Elba City Council voted to make an honest effort to settle one of their rish, Sharon Burks, Andrew Stoudwrongful firing lawsuits Monday night. We agree with Council member mire, and Matthew King. Brad Wilson, who said it would cost the taxpayers more than \$27,500 in legal fees and court costs if they let the matter go to court in an effort to get out for less money. These are distasteful situations that are best avoided. However, when they happen, smart folks usually advise we bite the bullet, make an effort to cut our losses and get on with business. The most important thing would be to not get into such situations again.

Politics are getting hotter as qualifying time gets closer. This week we have a Circuit Judge candidate announcement and a sheriff candidate announcement. Also, Judge Terry Butts held a press conference to make it clear he is running for the Alabama Supreme Court. Terry opened his state ginning Tuesday, February 8, 1994, follows: campaign office yesterday (Wednesday). It is in the Hayes Apartments on Davis Street in downtown Elba. Look for the signs - you can't miss it. If box, one assault, one DUI, one reckyou are lucky they will still have some snacks left from the Open House less endangerment, one burglary, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9 -

The Alabama governor's race has some good qualified candidates this year. We could like more than one of the Republicans but their chances of burglary tools. are slim. Unless the two major Democratic candidates bloody each other one for rape, one for VPL, and one THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10 beyond recovery — or the Democrat Party leaders shoot themselves in the for possession of burglary tools.

Alarm at a residence on E. Davis St. lion to service a colossal \$4 tril- Instead, the VA budget channels foot again — we don't predict a Republican win. But then several weeks Traffic citations issued during the (12:45 p.m.); Rescue run to a resilion debt. This is money that new money to convert the VA ago we predicted Tonya Harding wouldn't be allowed to skate in the Win- week were as follows: two for speed- dence on Taylor Mill Rd. (6:40 ter Olympics either — little do we know about anything.



NEW SIGN AT ENTRANCE TO EHS...A new sign welcoming visitors to Elba City Schools will soon be seen as you turn off U.S. Hwy. 84W to enter the new school complex. The columns that will be used to mount the sign are finished. SGA representatives of the high school and elementary school have another use in plan for these columns. On February 8, 1994, students from each school placed a time capsule in the columns before they were sealed. These capsules contain messages, tapes, other items of interest that will prove exciting to look at and read when they are opened in the year 2019. Pictured above are the SGA reps and faculity members who participated in the ceremony. They (1-r) are: Sonja Helms, Valiece Moore, Beverlee Benbow, Lauren Sutley, Vaughan Boyd, Supt. Charles Pearce, Elena Strong, Anna Stokes, Jill Martin, and Rhonda Little



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Elba General Hospital had the fol-

son, Lena Rushing, Evelyn Bryant, Chandler, Mary McKenzie, Phillip Baldwin, Rosa Daniels, Dorothy Par-





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ELBA POLICE REPORT FEB. 8 THRU FEB. 14, 1994

The Elba Police Department, be- Daily activity highlights were as investigated the following incidents: TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8 - Rouone rape, one vehicle striking mail tine activity. one prowler, one VPL, three harass- Rescue run to Marler Trailer Ct.

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ours or those of our sources, should contact the editor at 897-2823. Clarification

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ments, one theft, and one possession (11:55 a.m.); Wreck on AL. Hwy. 87N (9:18 p.m.); Routine activity. The following arrests were made: p.m.); Alarm at Elba Pawn & Gun ing and one for DUI.

Trailer Ct. (11:09 p.m.). ------FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11 - Alarm 1 at Elba Elementary School (1:51 S.S. REP - Courthouse, 4th Tues. 12:30-! a.m.); Alarm at Elba High School (2:45 a.m.); Rescue run to a resi- wasn't going to cut defense any I am also concerned that the qual ROTARY CLUB - Tuesday @ Noon - First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall dence on Airport Rd. (11:35 a.m.);

ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSN. - Tues. - 8:00

Rescue run to a residence on Forest the \$127 billion in reductions care could be compromised under Ave. (11:52 a.m.); Shots reported over four years for which he has the next year's budget.

Roberts Dr. (5:46 p.m.). Monday - 6:15 p.m.- City Hall WATER & ELECTRIC - 2nd Mon - 5:15 SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12 -Prowler reported at a residence on fast approaching a point when 2nd & 4th Monday of each month - Com-Co. Rd. 263 (4:53 a.m.); Alarm at there is no more fat, only muscle. Elba High School (12:30 p.m.); The pay Clipton budget caps miles and the surprises for Southeast Alabama farmers, I am unity Room in Farm Center Complex @ Elba High School (12:30 p.m.); The new Clinton budget caps mil-LIONS CLUB - 2nd & 4th Tues - 6:30 Fight reported at Kendrick Apts. (2:49 p.m.); Disturbance at a resi-ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD - 1st dence on Taylor Mill Rd. (8:36 AMERICAN LEGION - 1st Thur - 7:30 p.m.); Disturbance reported at Kenp.m. - Legion Hall, Troy Hwy. RESCUE SQUAD - 2nd & 4th Tues - 7:00 drick Apts. (9:54 p.m.); Disturbance reported at a residence on AL Hwy. p.m. - Rescue Squad Building reported at a residence on AL Hwy.

MASONIC LODGE 170 - 1st & 3rd Mon
166 (10:16 p.m.); Alarm at the Naday of each month - 7 p.m.

BAND BOOSTERS - 1st Mon - 7 p.m.

tional Guard Armory (10:46 p.m.). SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 13 - Alarm Mon-Fri - 8-12 noon & 12:30-4:30 New | at Kleinert's (8:12 a.m.); Routine ac-

ASSN. - 3rd Sat - 3 p.m. - Club House
COFFEE REPUBLICAN WOMEN 3rd
Wed. Noon - Colony Inn, Enterprise
AIRPORT AUTHORITY 1st Tuesday-12
Noon - City Hall Conference Room
AARP Meets every 3rd Tuesday night of the meets. MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14 - Rescue run to Medical Center in Dothan (8:45 p.m.).

> REPORT A CRIME CALL

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One Year Ago This Very Day Kerwin And Quentin Were Taken Away. This Would Not Have Happened If I Had A Choice, But God Is Still In Control And I Know I Can Rejoice. Kerwin And Quentin Are Where I Desire To Be, And That Is Sitting On Jesus' Knee. Oh How I Miss Them.

It Seems Their Time Here With Us Was Quick To End. But They Have Life Forevermore With Jesus, And That Is A Great Comfort Within. Some Things In This Life Are Hard To Understand, But I Know That My Heavenly Father Has A Master Plan. There Is Victory In Jesus And He Will Never Fail, Therefore Satan Cannot Prevail!



HEIGHTENING EDUCATION

FROM THE HOUSE Congressman Terry Everett

New Clinton Budget Hits Defense Hard

DEREYAUGHES PONCE 94

Last week, President Clinton facility. I believe these omissions inveiled his new \$1.5 trillion fed- are shortsighted and I shall use eral budget for 1995. After re- my position on the House Armed viewing the contents, I was disap- Services Committee to try to win pointed to discover that next approval for needed mission enyear's federal spending outline hancements and upgrades at Fort gives defense a one-two knock Rucker and Gunter Annex. out punch while mandatory For veterans, the Administraspending continues to grow. tion's new budget cuts 4,000 Each year the federal govern- health care employees and lacks ment is spending at least \$200 bil- money for new medical research. could be spent on education, job health care system to the Clinton programs, infrastructure upgrades health care model. I simply can-(7:24 p.m.); Rescue run to Crocker or tax cuts. Instead it is simply not understand how we are going

poured down a rat hole. 1995 is to be able to address the problems no exception as we add another of Gulf War Syndrome and other \$176 billion to the federal deficit. as yet untreatable afflictions When Clinton said in his State which ail many of our veterans of the Union address that he without adequate research money. ship Hall

ELBA CITY COUNCIL - 2nd & 4th | fired on Reddock Hill Rd. and Dr. | already called. Most people may In the president's agriculture not realize that defense spending budget for 1995 there is a \$6.2 has been steadily decreasing any- billion cut over last year. Alway for the last ten years. We are though the 1995 agriculture buditary spending at \$252 billion, concerned about the Administra-35% below the level we were tion's assumption that farmers spending in 1985. In fact, defense will suffer no disasters this year. spending pales in comparison to federal mandatory (entitlement)

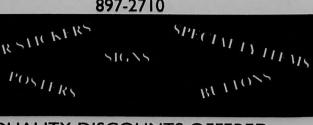
The new agriculture budget confederal mandatory (entitlement) tains a \$3.1 billion funding cut for

spending which continues to the Commodity Credit Corporagrow by \$32 billion next year to a record \$763 billion! the Commodity Credit Corporation which oversees crop pro-The Administration is proposing no new construction at Fort Rucker or Gunter Annex next no disasters for 1994! May I reyear. Maxwell Air Force Base, mind the Administration that last nowever, is slated to receive year saw all 67 Alabama counties

\$11.7 million (\$9.6 million for declared eligible for federal disasstudent dormitories and \$2.1 mil- ter assistance due to drought. lion for 25 family housing units.) As the new budget is consid-Fort Rucker was hoping to begin ered in detail by Congress, I will a five-phase program of improving family housing units, and how it will ultimately affect your Gunter Annex is in need of an upgrade to its computer operations family and your business.

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County Attorney Kenneth Fuller's County Landfill, as well as the conrecommendation that the landfill retinuous activity and noise associated but no action was taken. The county commissioners were as follow: lated claim against the county be de- with the operation of the Coffee attorney was instructed to research ***Fredrick Hamilton, with Sou-In November of 1993, 14 county Now that the county has denied legal.

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County Landfill."

ter's present psychologist. board with the requested information

The cost of training a teacher for would be on where the ninety per
of Revenue Commissioner Ronnie within the next week. The matter the program will be approximately will then receive further considera-

river.

Mrs. June Brown presented board

gram.

Before adjourning the board gave to be on the ballot. members with an overview of the Reading Recovery Program.

The program is designed for first for a trip to Six Flags in Atlanta, A reception was given in honor of Brightly colored, tresh flower ar- grade students who are experiencing Georgia. Mrs. Gladys Carr's "80th" birthday rangements complimented each ta- difficulty in reading. Through 30

She told Bryant that she would have to discuss that with her daughter brief present psychological and school system.

Averett said, "Ninety percent of the people in Coffee County want the people in works with the school system. minutes of one-on-one instruction by illegal. with other students after 12 to 14 one courthouse."

that "their respective property has primary ballot.

within the next week. The matter will then receive further consideration by board members.

Turning to more routine matters of business, the board was advised of personnel changes that have been made at Kinston, New Brockton and Zion Chapel. The changes involved a teacher, coach, aides and a bus deliver.

***Approved changing of land-fill's hours of operation. The land-fill will now be open from 7 a.m. where to build the courthouse would come later.

Finally, when the matter was put to a vote it failed to pass. Creel and lack Hanson were the only two commanisoners voting for "the question" to be on the ballot.

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Remembering

red roses, assorted party food, Carr also has 6 grandchildren and 9 We, as a people, have always a very good way to be sure of no evil been interested in politics. That is doings. the true test of a representative gov- One election I recall was when ernment, to be concerned about who Houston County would not turn in is elected to represent you. tell occurred at least 50 years ago. I Sam Sawyer and I went to see Marition, serving of search warrants, use the innocent against deception, the will be as accurate as possible.

on Farris, Chairman of Coffee County Democratic Committee and weak against oppression or intimidation of the county Democratic Committee and County Democratic County Democratic Committee and County Democratic County Democratic

was his desire to "serve mankind, County, this is what I plan to base gress of the United States."

ple girth, to the other. Henry Bascom Steagall of Ozark had been in office since 1914. It is George Andrews was instrumen-

Turning 35!

that time Elba and Enterprise were ber for many years.

Blount came to all the counties and got everyone working for George. We won very handily. It was something to elect a man who was not even in the District. Of course the Navy had to let the elected U.S. Congressman serve. George Andrews took office March 14, 1944.

Winton Malcom "Bo" Blount was born in 1890 and died June 1944. He was only 54 years old, but like my Father, who died at age 55, I thought of him as being older. At any rate, he was a very impressive man. His son, Winton M. "Red" Blount", is nearer my age, but I knew his father much better.

George was a very effective of the side and voted for the person themselves.

By Governor Folsom and I being together meant we got to sit in the

With Jake by Jake Bonneau

their vote. They were waiting to see Some of the details I am about to how many votes they needed to win. of chemical weapons, and emergency vehicle driving.

In concluding his formal announcement, Moates, borrowing a phrase from the law enforcement of
weak against oppression or intimidation, the peaceful against violence or disorder, and to respect the constitutional rights of all men to liberty, equality and justice.

The believe it was in 1940 when I was just shy of my 21st birthday when George Andrews had sized the situation up, and I feel sure that he situation up, and I feel sure that he sought the advice of Winton Malsonghia and the chairman was all powerful.

The believe it was in 1940 when I was just shy of my 21st birthday when George Andrews had sized the situation up, and I feel sure that he sought the advice of Winton Malsonghia and the chairman was all powerful. phrase from the law enforcement officer's code of ethics, stated that it equality and justice. States sought the advice of Winton Mal
where the said we can out wait them. We called the Dothan Eagle and asked for the returns. They put the pressure George Andrews was County So- on and the returns came in. We narlicitor of Bullock County. Today rowly won. That was the only close they are called district attorney. Mr. election that George every had.

Blount was a leading citizen of Un- Elizabeth Bullock came to Elba in ion Springs. He was nicknamed the 1930's as a home demonstration worker. I don't think she was here a very impressive man. Rather large, but one year. She was from Geneva. always well dressed in a three piece She and George were married soon suit with a heavy gold chain going after she left Elba. I recently had a from one vest pocket, across an am-nice afternoon visit in her Union Springs home that she and George

true now as it was then, once in of- tal in getting Camp Rucker convertfice for a long time, it is very diffied into permanent Fort Rucker. I beculty to defeat a sitting Congress- lieve that took place in 1953 or man. George was aware that Steagall would not go on much longer. There boulevards in Ozark, Enterprise, and was no TV and most contact had to Fort Rucker are named for him. be going into all the localities. At Lawrence "Snag" Andrews, his that time, this was the 3rd District brother, was an Alabama State Sena-

and I believe there were 10 counties.

The best I recall, George and Mr.
Blount came to Elba and I do not recer. call how, but James Wise, Sam Saw-yer, and I met with them and agreed ble and anxious to serve his constituto do what we could to elect George ents in all of their requests to his of-Andrews to Congress. Don Fuller of fice. Eva Hammond, an Elba native, New Brockton agreed to serve. At was a loyal and capable staff mem-

the same size. Dothan was slightly larger than Enterprise of today. Lewis Sessions and George Proctor were George had died at the age of 65. I the two I recall in Enterprise.

The election day came and Monday morning where they had George Andrews made a very im- Western Union. Telegrams were stil pressive showing for his first time to being used at that time. I wired Mrs. run for Congress. World War II George Andrews, "Our Nation has came along and George was a mem-ber of the Naval Reserve. I believe has lost its chief advocate and I have ber of the Naval Reserve. I believe has lost its chief advocate and I have lost a dear friend." Former Governor the 1942 election. At any rate, I do not recall the 1942 election, but I do vividly recall that Henry B. Steagall, who was born May 19, 1873, died in office on November 22, 1943. He had sepred peorly 30 years Governor way he told me that when he was

had served nearly 30 years. George way he told me that when he was was a Naval Lieutenant on a ship in the South Pacific. I believe his opposition was Hubert Farmer of Dothan. He was expected times against George was the one he could depend He ran several times against George.
Bo Blount had a list and knew nearly all of George's supporters. Bo Blount came to all the counties and Winton "Red" Blount, Bill Dickinson and Ed Danley Ed Danley had

George was a very effective together meant we got to sit in the church for the services while multi-times with little or no opposition. I together meant we got to sit in the church for the services while multi-times with little or no opposition. I don't believe I ever talked to

recall one time that Dothan was de-termined to elect Hubert Farmer. We

I don't believe I ever tall
Bill Dickinson after that day. only had paper ballots and I, with many others, have counted votes long after breakfast time. It was not drews among my friends.

Creel commented, "Looks like In turning to other matters of been greatly devalued by the locabusiness, the commission heard tion and proximity of the Coffee County Attorney Konneth Fuller's Coun the matter an see if a straw vote was heast Alabama Regional Planning

residents living in the immediate the claim, it is possible that a lawsuit area of the county's newly construct—may be filed against the county by area of the county's newly construct—may be filed against the county by a landfill. Filed a the county by a landfill gal about holding a non-binding ref- for the Elba-Coffee County Land-\$7,000,000.00 damage claim against

The straw vote on whether or not the county.

The claim by the residents was county residents favor one or two are spent in doing so.

The claim by the residents was county residents favor one or two and difficult bleachers for the Farm The claim by the residents was courthouses will not be on the June Commissioner Stephens stated additional bleachers for the Farm

and Development Corporation, in-

that he was in favor of the people de- Center Complex to Outdoor Aluciding the issue, but expressed con- minum of Geneva. The total bid cern over placing the entire election was \$1,845.00. in jeopardy should the matter later ***Agreed to send out bids for be contested in court and found to be herbicide, bridge panels, steel pil-

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ing, and a re-built transmission for His opinion was that the problem rectly to the commission instead

***Approved changing of land-

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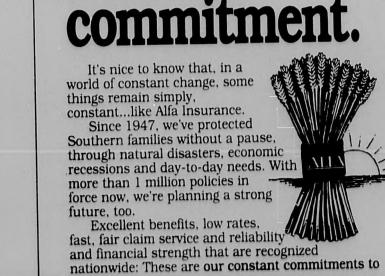




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1994. The event was hosted by her children and grandchildren in the fellowship hall of Zion Chapel Baptist for the Lord, family, and friends

Mrs. Carr greeted her guests as life. Therefore it was fitting that 130 they entered the fellowship hall. Afguests joined in this happy celebra-

Two serving tables were covered with lovely white linen tablecloths. Merlene Owens, Edna Morrow,

A heart-shaped cake decorated with Elba; and Sue Jackson, Atlanta. Mrs

punch, and coffee were served from great grandchildren.

safeguard lives and property, protect my administration on."

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have been evident throughout he

Mrs. Carr has five children. They

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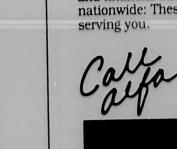
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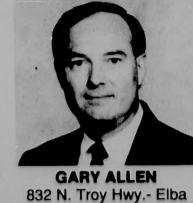
ter visiting with her, guests were in-

the beautifully appointed tables.

vited to enjoy refreshments.

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Mr. Sharitt & Miss Dirksen

Dirksen - Sharitt Wedding To Be Held Wednesday, February 23rd

Carl E. Sharitt, Jr. and Sabrina K. He will enter the U.S. Army in Dirksen will be married February 23, March. 1994 in the South Brookley United The bride is the daughter of Paula Methodist Church Mobile, Alabama. Clements and Frank Clements of The groom is the son of Ann and Mobile. She graduated from White-Steve Dewberry of Mobile and the hall High School and is presently late Carl E. Sharitt, Sr. of Trafford, serving as a pharmacist's technician Alabama. He is the grandson of in the U.S. Army. She is stationed at Grace M. Waters formerly of Elba. Fort Rucker, Alabama. He graduated from Theodore High School and is presently enrolled in Bishop State Community College.

No formal invitations are being mailed. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Keesee - Johnson Wedding Planned For Saturday, February 19th



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Retired Lt. Col. and Mrs. Dwight D. Keesee of Columbia, Maryland, formerly of Enterprise, announce the engagement of their daughter, Kerry Mr. Pouncey & Miss Dozier Leigh, to Jeffrey Glen Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnson of

The bride-elect is the grand-daughter of Norma Kelsoe and the late John H. Kelsoe, and Myldred February 24th

She graduated from Colonial South Port, Florida announce the en-Heights High School in Colonial Heights, Virginia in 1988 and at-Heights, Virginia, in 1988, and at-Dozier to Randall Amose Pouncey tended Enterprise State Junior College. She is currently employed with of Elba, Alabama. im Whitehead Chrysler. The future bridegroom is the grandson of the late Jessie L. and Bessie L. Trawick of New Brockton, Mrs. Jack Pouncey of Honoroville, Mrs. Jack Pouncey of Honoroville,

He is a 1980 graduate of Elba High School and attended Enterprise of Honoroville, AL and the late Mrs. Kate Floyd of Elba, AL. State Junior College. He is selfemployed as the owner of Johnson sey Trailers of Elba, AL. The couple The ceremony will be held Thurs-The wedding will take place at 5:00 p.m., February 19, 1994 at the First United Methodist Church in Hills FI at 7:30 p.m.

Enterprise. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.



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Magnolia Home & Garden Club Holds Monthly Meeting February 3rd

The February meeting of the the 10 members and one guest Magnolia Home and Garden Club present, a very interesting program was held on Thursday morning, Feb- on wicker furniture was given by ruary 3, 1994 in the fellowship hall Mrs. Kay Mixon. A short business of the United Methodist Church with meeting was held following the pro-Mrs. Joan Jacobs and Mrs. Lurlene gram. Present were Mrs. Jean Ken-Martin serving as hostesses. After a nett, Mrs. Myrtle Sellars, Mrs. Joan delicious dessert plate was served to Jacobs, Mrs. Catherine Spurlin, Mrs.

Mrs. Addilean Newman, Ividen Brueckner, lene Martin, Mrs. Helen Brueckner, NEW ARRIVAL

"HIMINITATION !! TAYLOR WAYNE TEW Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tew of

ndidge, Alabama announce the irth of a son on January 9, 1994 at Edge Medical Center in Troy. Taylor Wayne weighed 7 lbs. 6 ozs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. ernie Sullivan of Brantley and Mrs. Jean McLure of Elba and the late
Thomas Tew of Brundidge, Great
grandmothers are Mrs. Paul Sullivan of Tampa, Florida, Mrs. Bertha Harrelson of Brantley, and Mrs. Selman

Dozier-Pouncey

Randall is the son of Mr. Leo

Pouncey of Luverne, AL and Mrs.

AL and the late Mr. Amose Pouncey

Hills, FL at 7:30 p.m.

invitations are being sent.

Gloria Sullivan To

SATURDAY FEB. 19th

7:30 P.M.

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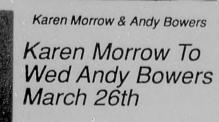
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afternoon at the Elba United Metho- in Nahunta, Georgia, and is present- vited.



Miss Henderson & Mr. Blackburn

Miss Henderson & Mr. Blackburn Plan April Wedding

of Elba announce the engagement Mr. Blackburn is the grandson of and forthcoming marriage of their Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Giddens of Waydaughter, Mary Beth Henderson, to Coss, Georgia and Mr. and Mrs. E. James E. (Jim) Blackburn, Jr., son of O. Blackburn of Waycross, Georgia. Mr. and Mrs. James E. Blackburn of He is a 1988 graduate of Ware Mrs. Lena B. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Waylon Henderson ty.

County High School and has attend-The bride-elect is the grand- ed the Georgia Fire Academy in Fordaughter of Mrs. Jessie Lee Donaldson of Elba and the late Mr. William Georgia Firefighter and a Nationally Frank Donaldson and Mr. William Certified Firefighter. Mr. Blackburn O. Henderson of Elba and the late is a member of Waycross Exchange Club. He is employed by the City of Miss Karen Marie Morrow and ate of Elba High School and a 1991

Mr. Andy Ray Bowers wish to announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage on March 26, ence degree in Elementary Education.

Miss Henderson.

Waycross, Georgia as a firefighter.

The wedding will be Saturday,
April 2, 1994 at Zion Chapel Baptist
Church at two o'clock in the afternoon. A reception will follow in the 1994. All friends and family are intion. She was a member of Chi Omevited to share in their joy as they exerge Sorority. She is employed by fellowship hall of the church. No invitations are being sent lochange vows at two o'clock in the Brantley County Board of Education cally, all relatives and friends are inly attending Valdosta State Universi-



Randall and Sherry invite all their Pictured left to right: Mrs. Charlotte Adkinson, Mrs. Jessie Windham, Mrs. Jill Dunn-honoree and Mrs. family and friends to share in their Charlotte Windhar

joy as they exchange their vows. No Mrs. Troy Dunn Honored With Receive Scholarship From Livingston University Miscellaneous Bridal Shower

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Gloria Sullivan, a senior at Zion On Sunday, February 6, 1994, the well, Mrs. Dorothy Gargis, Mrs. Missan Seay, Mrs. Pat Powell, Mrs. Jan hapel, has been chosen to receive a home of Mrs. Steve Adkinson on chelle Grimes, Mrs. Cyndi Lawford, Smith, Mrs. Pam Smith, Mrs. Mary Chapel, has been chosen to receive a Trustee Award from Livingston University according to a recent announcement by the university.

The Trustee's Award, part of the scholarship program at Livingston University, was awarded to Sullivan for her outstanding academic performance in high school and above average college entrance examination grades. The award is a four-year of the surface of the award is a four-year of the surface of the surface of the scholarship program at Livingston University, was awarded to Sullivan for her outstanding academic performance in high school and above average college entrance examination grades. The award is a four-year of the surface of the scholarship program at Livingston University, was awarded to Sullivan for her outstanding academic performance in high school and above average college entrance examination grades. The award is a four-year of the award

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Gard, Dunn, the groom's mother:

Grand, Sullivan of Jack, AL.

Sullivan plans to attend Livingston University in the fall of 1994.

Carol Dunn, the groom's mother; Mrs. Jessie Windham, the bride's paternal grandmother; and Mrs. Molene Atkins, the groom's maternal

Guests were then invited into the formal dining room for refresh-ments. Beautiful arrangements of fresh camillas in crystal vases were placed throughout the room. Serving party foods and punch from a beautifully appointed table were the Miss-es Dana Gargis and Wendy Bout-

Guests mingled throughout the party rooms to view the many gifts on display. For this delightful occa-sion the hostesses presented the bride with a complete set of Revere Other hostesses assisting Mrs. Adkinson were Mrs. Wilene Bout-



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Selected scripture: John 3:16. the U. S. Army Recruiting Command, Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Rucker NCO Club on February 3, 1994. Her subject was "Empowering Afro-American Organizations: Present and Future". Mrs. Jenny Fleming-Durdin of Enterprise, AL currently serves on the St. Louis "Mrs. Jenny Fleming-Durdin of Enterprise, AL currently serves on the St. Louis" mental Affairs as a 1982-1983 White er. The die has been cast. I have stepped over the line. The decision has been made. I'm a disciple of His own, He will have no problems recognizing me."

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Mrs. Jenny Fleming-Durdin

Nurse Recruiting Advisor to the Commanding General and served as the Director of Health Services for

DORCAS BAPTIST CHURCH -

PASTOR'S CORNER

Rev. Tony Dye Westside Baptist Church

and, Fort Knox, Kentucky. In previous assignments, Colonel

Thinking of you, praying for Richie was the Chief nurse, Letteryou. Mrs. Annie J. Smith, Mrs. Baptist Church of Opp, AL, Rev. John Lawrence, pastor, will be February 20, 1994 beginning at 2:30 lor of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College, Staten Island, New Dame of Science Degree in Nursing at Wagner College of Science Degree in Nursin P.m.

The choir will render music and a solo will be by Linda Tillis. The sermon will be given by Rev. J. P. Rogers.

February Birthdays

Patricia Chapman - February 8; Wiley Brooks - February 12; and In Memory of John (Bud) Waters February 17.

Colonel Sharon Ivey Richie

Wagner College, Staten Island, New York in 1971. She received a Master of Science Degree in Psychiatric Alamant be my disciple...So like annot be my disciple...So like wise, whoever of you does not formuse, walk by patience, lift by patience, walk by patience, lift by patience, wise, whoever of you does not formuse, whoever of you does not formuse, walk by patience, lift by patience, lift by patience, lift by patience, walk by patience, lift by patience, walk by patience, lift by patience,

Colonel Sharon Ivey Richie
Speaks At Fort Rucker
Colonel Sharon Ivey Richie,
Colonel Richie is a member of the American Nurses Association;
Chief Nurse at the Dwight D. Eisenhower Army Medical Center, Forting Honor Society; and the Association of Military Surgeons. She speaker on Black History Month at a special meeting held in the Fort Rucker NCO Club on February 3, 1994, Her subject was "Empowering Francisco WHE Regional Commitment Francisco WHE Regional Commitment to Jesus gotiate at the table of the enemy, military courses.

Colonel Richie is a member of the American Nurses Association; Sigma Theta Tau the National Nursing Honor Society; and the Association of Military Surgeons. She served in the office of Intergovernmental Affairs as a 1982-1983 White Rucker NCO Club on February 3, 1994, Her subject was "Empowering Francisco WHE Regional Commitment to Jesus Gotiate at the table of the enemy, moder at the pool of popularity, or meander in the maze of mediocrity.

I won't give up, shut up, let up, prayed up, praid up, preached up, prayed up, paid up, preached up for the cause of Christ. I am a disciple of Jesus. I must go till He comes, give till I drop, preach till all know, and work till He stops me.

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Fleming-Durdin of Enterprise, AL was the chairperson.

WHF Regional Selection Panel.

Colonel Richie has been a consultant Colonel Richie has been a consultant

Colonel Richie spoke with humility and dignity. And as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Durdin (Jenny) Enterprise, I am grateful for your thoughtfulness and kindness during the fulness and kindness during the lumber and process of the colonel Richie has been a colonel Richie has been

fulness and kindness during the luncheon and program. I tried to represent *The Elba Clipper* to the best of my ability. Thanks for the respect shown to me. Sitting at the press table and meeting new friends was an experience I'll never forget.

Eria

Iished articles in several professional nursing and military journals.

Selected for early promotion to the ranks of Major, Lieutenant Colomel Richie has been awarded the Surgeon General's coveted "A" prefix for excellence in nursing administration. She has been listed in Who's Who Among American Women; Who's Who in American Women; Who's Who in American Nursing and Who's Who and have recorded eight albums, incan Nursing, and Who's Who
Among Black Americans. Colonel
Richie was honored as one of Ameriand Bast on Printers. Bob's country humor. They have ap-

ca's Best and Brightest Business Pro-fessional Women in 1992 and has banquets and conventions from been the recipient of several military coast-to-coast. Bob and Jan are servdren and raised in a Philadelphia Texas, which teaches the needy to

Cleaven and Vera Williams, Ernestine Kelley and Eria Belcher vis-

church, as well as a variety of spiri-

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it and the Secretary of Defense Merithe Volunteer Missions Division of you to the Second Pastoral Annivertorious Service Medal. In December of 1993, President Clinton awarded Colonel Richie the Presidential Service Badge.

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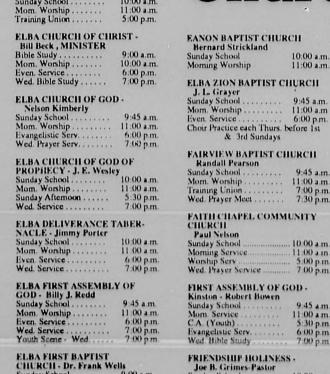
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David and Merissa Warren will be leading and coordinating the activities for this group. Died Feb. 17, 1978 tivities for this group.

There will be a Bible study every Sunday morning at 9:00 a.m. at the Baptist Church at 897-2520.

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ZION CHAPEL

HIGH SCHOOL

ZC Open House Today

cial Tuna Salad, Stewed Potatoes, String The Zion Chapel High School and school auditorium at 7:00 p.m. It will in-Beans, Choice Of Fruit, Milk, New Southern Peach Cobbler (Bonus Item).

Friday Beefaroni, Roast Beef SandFriday Beefaroni, Roast wich, English Peas, Corn On Cob, Faculty members will welcome visits Mr. McCrory's Agribusiness class, Mr. lifting because it keeps him in shape and Choice Of Fruit, Milk, Peanut Butter from parents. Branson's seventh, eighth, and ninth helps him build muscles and be stronger. There will be an assembly in the high grade English classes will be performing skits. Members of the Spanish Club will meet and won first place, benching 220

be performing a skit explaining Spanish pounds. It's A Real Shocker The Future Business Leaders of America will be conducting an emblem The Future Business Leaders of Chapel, is a member of the "Z" Club, him because of his size and he decided to ond place, benching 160 pounds. remony. Members of the Beta Club will be conducting a Rainbow Ceremon to explain the importance of the seven colors of the rainbow and how they re ate to each officer's position in the club. addition, members of the Future

The class has weekly tests on the

Beta Club Induction early as they outscore in the first quarter.

Iomemakers of America, the Futur

Farmers of America, the Science Fiction

Readers and Astronomers, and the Stu-

zations. The band and chorus will also be

class that has been learning how to wire electricity. The class is classified as AG III. Mr. McCrory says the purpose of the with wiring projects in the shop was real-with wing projects in the shop was real

There are only five girls in the class notes they take and they are graded on There are only five girls in the class and so far they are doing very well. "On a practice wiring exercise the group and so far they are doing very well. "On a practice wiring exercise the group class to wire the renovated barbecue pit."

Houston Academy took command of the "hands on projects" that they do in the game early as they outscored Zion Chapel 18-0 in the first quarter.

New Brockton took control early as they outscored Zion Chapel 17-4 in the first quarter.

Waylon Littlefield scored 6 points in the first quarter to pace the Zion Chapel of-Play Practice

by Grady Williams

Play practice for seniors and juniors in the class plays will begin February 15. Seniors will practice from five till seven on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The juniors will practice from three to five on Mondays and Wednesdays beginning in April. The plays and play practices will be held in the new auditorium. The plays are being held in order to raise money for the new auditorium. Mrs. Sonya

April Thursday and Locating duarter to take a 22-2 lead in at halftime. Houston Academy outscored Zion Chapel 24-19 in the second quarter. Zion Chapel a 14-13 lead to 34-5. Seniors will practice from five till seven on Mondays and Wednesdays beginning in April. The plays and play practices will a points. Courtney Moran had are being held in order to raise money for the new auditorium. Mrs. Sonya

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school to investigate a series of thefts. The cast members for the senior play are: David Nunn, Ben Coale, Chris Green, Gloria Sullivan, Tina Campbell, Beverly Flowers, Bobbie Simmons, Tracie Tidwell, Denise Marler, Stephanie Brooks, Arleen Pridgen, Tisha Woods, Lee Jacobs, Sherifat Bello, Jessi Thomas, Robert Carnley, Stephanie Nelson, Tashaun Neal, Kim Killingsworth, and Patty Koch.

Ketball Team suffered a 46-20 loss to the Ariton Chapel 11-4 in the first quarter to take early control of the game. Goolsky and Lowe each scored 5 points in the first quarter to lead Ariton.

Free By Choice Program

by Chris Gunnell

A program called Free By Choice was presented to all junior high students in the second quarter. Ball had 6 points in the second quarter to pace the Ariton

Sergeant Sterling told the students

Rebel Weightlifters In Muscle Mania

by Bobbie Simmons Zion Chapel's Chris Hodge, Jason Wallace, and Chris Hinote recently entered the Montgomery Open Powerliftng Meet. It was held on Saturday, Januv 29 at Catholic High School. Chris Hodge, a senior at Zion Chapel, vice president of the Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), president of the "Z" Club, and sentinel of the Beta Club. Chris is also involved in such activities as The Rebel News and the annual staff. He is on the football, basketball, and baseball teams. Chris said that he lifts weights because it makes him feel good, keeps him in shape, and he likes the look. He said that he likes the competitiveness. Chris entered the 148 pound class at the meet and won second place, benching 255 pounds.



Pictured above (I-r) are: Jason Wallace & Chris Hinote Beta Club, Spanish Club, and FBLA, do something about it. Chris entered the Chris Hinote, a sophomore at Zion Chris said that people used to pick on 114 pound class at the meet and won sec-

BOYS JV

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ZC vs. GW Long

GW Long took the early lead in the

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The Zion Chapel Boys Junior Varsity

REBEL BASKETBALL By Chris Hodge

ZC vs. Houston Academy

BOYS VARSITY

dent Government Association will be on hand to talk about their different organi-

ZC vs. GW Long forming. Refreshments will be served The Zion Chapel Varsity Basketball The Zion Chapel Boys Varsity Bas- The Zion Chapel Boys Junior Varsity Team suffered a 56-22 loss to the GW ketball Team traveled to Dothan to play Basketball Team picked up its second the Houston Academy Raiders. Houston win of the season by defeating GW Long GW Long took control of the game Academy handed Zion Chapel a tough 44-32. early as they outscored Zion Chapel 12-6 71-38 loss. GW Long dominated the second the game from the opening tip and out the first quarter.

quarter by outscoring Zion Chapel 17-0 scored Zion Chapel 29-9 in the first

Zion Chapel fought back in the sec-An induction ceremony was held to take a 29-6 lead in at halftime. Natalie quarter. Robert McKinnon had 13 points ond quarter and outscored Long 12-4 to honoring the new members of the Zion Johnson scored 17 points in the first half in the first quarter to lead the Houston take a 16-13 lead in at halftime. Steve Academy offense.

to lead GW Long. The club chose a "rainbow" style ceremony in which the objectives of the club were defined and associated with a Stephanie Nelson.

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Mr. McCrory is the Vocational Acri.

Mr. Mc were almost all the same. Kim Killings—worth said, "I like this class a lot better, culture teacher at Zion Chapel High School. He teaches a third period AG Sc

Steensland had 13 points and David Marpoints. ZC vs. Houston Academy tin added 11. course is "to be able to perform simple ly fun and different. I am looking forketball Team suffered a 40-7 loss to their area rivals, the Houston Academy Raid-ketball Team was defeated 78-60 by the tory of the season by defeating GW New Brockton Gamecocks in recent bas- Long 36-34.

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Nightmare High School". It is about a ZC vs Ariton group of students who break into their The Zion Chapel Girls Varsity Basschool to investigate a series of thefts. ketball Team suffered a 46-20 loss to the

Tashaun Neal, Kim Killingsworth, and Patty Mcch.

The junior class will present two plays. The first is "Never Trust a Man". The second is "Through Darkest Adolescence": "Never Trust a Man" is the story of a rumor about a boy and a girl than 1993.94 school year. Some of the fundraisers include wrapping paper sale, Pizza and the doughnut sale. The wrapping paper sale raised about \$800 profit and the top salesperson was Samelia Green. The Pizza Passport sale raised about \$800 profit and the top salesperson was Beth Leverett. The doughnut sale are leaser's plight through adolescence from the parents' point of view. The members of the junior class plays cast research of the parents' point of view. The band. With everyone working together on these fundraisers in the second quarter to pace the Arion offense.

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ELBA CITY SCHOOLS LUNCHROOM MENUS February 14 - 18, 1994 BREAKFAST Monday - Cereal, Juice, Milk. Tuesday - Breakfast Pizza, Juice, Milk. Wednesday - Eggs & Toast, Juice, Milk. Thursday - Biscuit & Sausage, Juice, Friday - Teacher-In-Service. LUNCH Monday - Pizza, Corn, Green Salad, Ap-

Tuesday - Steak Fingers, Baked Potato, Green Beans, Fruit, Rolls, Milk. Wednesday - Barbecue, Rice, Slaw, Fruit, Rolls, Milk. Thursday - Vegetable Beef Soup, Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Crackers, Friday - Teacher-In-Service.

HAVE A SAFE



Pictured above (1 to r) are: Casey Henderson, Cobra Gray, and Monica Henderson. by Stacy Seay & Robyn Rhoades Casey Henderson - Casey is the daughter of Junior and Ellen Henderson. She is in sharing with us the meaningful events in the seventh grade and enjoys skating and playing in the band. Casey is a member of their lives and for making us realize how important education and good morals obra Gray - Cobra is the daughter of Cobie and Rezella Gray. She is in the sevare. grade and enjoys playing basketball. Cobra is a member of SADD and attends e of the Last Call Church.

onica Henderson - Monica is the freshman daughter of Barbara and James Henricon. She enjoys singing, playing basketball, and playing volleyball. Monica is a member of FBLA, FHA, and Rocky Head Missionary Baptist Church.

EHS Student's Trip To Washington D.C. On Tuesday, January 25, I boarded a bassador's assistant about current hap- On Saturday, we took very rushed preparing labels and filing tag receipts. bassador's assistant about cutrell happlane in Montgomery to go to Atlanta and from Atlanta to Washington, D.C. I 4-H Center and participating in a Suhad my doubts, both about the plane and Washington, but...no problem, follow Washington, but...no problem, follow Companies and the properties of the satisfactory of the satisf

a panel of journalist who told us many by we boarded our buses and went back ference.

Court, we went to the Israeli embassy tion preparation. and received a presentation from an am-

watch the President's State of the Union Senator Howell Heflin, but I did get to Finally, we went to prepare for our "Gala Up With Business," for FBLA. see Representative Terry Everett, who Closing Banquet and Dance," unofficial They worked under the supervision Wednesday morning we ate breakfast took me on a personal tour of the capitol.

at the National Press Club and listened to

After a short meeting with Senator Shel
sion of the National Young Leaders Contest, Mrs. Felicia Smith, and Mrs. Jane interesting facts about their profession. to the 4-H Center for a Presidential simu-We then listened to the chairman of the lation. Later that evening, we went back the conference by turning in our room son, commending and thanking them for President's Foreign Intelligence Adviso- to the capitol for another tour with a Texry Board, Admiral William J. Crowe, Jr., as senator.

keys and getting on our planes to come helping with the work load at his office, home. Needless to say, after walking on He stated that "they conducted themwho gave a presentation on foreign policy. After a White House photo opportunity and lunch at Union Station Food

Tourn we went to the Israeli embassy.

LUNCHTIME POLL

by FaBreka Tillis & LaShawn Russell

is "Do you think Tonya Harding should supposed to be sending a team from the be allowed to perform in the Winter U.S. to the Olympics. What kind of team

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troversy the United States may lose the Yes because she has practiced and no be-

opportunity to win a medal in ice skating."

cause she might be guilty."

Kevin Smith: "No, because she paid Alice Hammonds: "Well, on one hand her ex-husband to do that crazy junk." yes, because she has not been proven guilty yet. On the other hand, no, be-should believe her story."

cause if she is proven guilty, the team Stephen Watkins: "Yes, because she will not be a good representative for the is innocent until proven guilty."

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David Yelverton: "Yes, because she's against her own teammate.

innocent until proven guilty."

Shea Ward: "No, because it was she's innocent."

This week's lunchtime poll question Elena Strong: "No, because we are

EHS

by Molly Mills & Dana Stinson The Elba High School Concert Band rill travel to Troy on Thursday, Februy 24 to perform for district contest. We h the band the best of luck. Don't forget, we will be out of school Friday, February 18 for teacher-invice and also on Monday, February I for Washington's birthday!!.

Black History Month Recognized At EHS

former graduates visited their Alma Mat-r) Trae Bryan, Stephanie Chism, and Angel Brunson. er in recognition of Black History Month. One of the two graduates was Mrs. Cresandra Smothers. She graduated ceived at Elba High was much of what Angel Brunson is the daughter of Pennie and Eddie Engram. She attends Shady he had to go on as well as the years he Grove Baptist Church. Her hobbies are talking on the phone, dancing, and singing. served in the Navy. He said it is impor-Her favorite high school classes are biology, world history, and English. tant to obtain the most education possi-

ble to succeed in life.

Work At Courthouse

The Elba High Future Business Lead-ers of America members Donna DeBoer and LaSandra Flowers did volunteer work at the Elba Courthouse January 31-February 2, 1994. Their work involved the signs and everything will be okay.

Since people were still arriving Tuesday night we did not have a big schedule, our only scheduled event was to

is it when a member is involved in a plo

Charles Bozeman: "Yes, becan

SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT



On February 4, 1994, two of Elba's Pictured above, (front row, 1 to r) are: Marcell Cole and J.W. Carter; (back row, 1 to

from Elba High School in 1982. She presently is the director of public relations at Stillman College. She made it clear to us that running fast was needed to keep up with the average person but. to keep up with the average person; but, it takes running faster to excel in life.

3 pointers, and music electronics. Marcell is in FBLA, FHA, and Interact. His favorite high school events are basketball games. The other visiting graduate to return to EHS was Mr. Terry Ellison. He gradubaseball, hunting, and fishing. He attends Mt. Olive Baptist Church. His favorite ated in 1978. Mr. Ellison shared with us some of his old memories of life in Elba trial Clubs of America. and at Elba High. Mr. Ellison is the owner of a computer business in Montgomery. He told us that the education he re-God Church. J.W. is a member of the Vocational Industrial Clubs of America.

Both speakers were very interesting and had inspirational advice for the students. We appreciated their coming and lt's Celebration Time

important education and good morals are. The Elba High School FFA is preparing for National FFA Week. The officers have are. ruary 19-26 National FFA Week. The planning committee has been making prepara tions and have planned a guest speaker and radio announcements. The National FFA Week will be a highlight of all of the FFA members' year. The year is almost over and this will be the last chance for FFA members to really celebrate and show everyone that FFA is a great organization.



* * * VICA NEWS * * *



Pictured above (front row, 1 to r) are: Costellus Lawrence, Todd McKee, and Ronald Price; (back row, 1 to r) Kevin Jackson, Bobby Crawley, and Chris Rhodes. by Linda Hodge

As stated in last week's article, the annual auto mechanics and welding contests were held on February 1, 1994. This year both contests had a large number of participants. There was even a large number of spectators. The club was extremely pleased with the interest shown. All the participants were winners; however, the top three contestants in the auto mechanics contest were as follows: 3rd place-Costellus Lawrence, 2nd place-Todd McKee, 1st place-Ronald Price. The advance welding contest resulted in the following: 3rd place-Chris Rhodes, 2nd place-Bobby Crawley, 1st place-Kevin Jackson. For the first time there was a first year welding contest. The winners of this contest were: 2nd place-Chris Kelley, 1st place-Trae Bryan.

For now, Ronald Price and Kevin Jackson will work to prepare for district contest on March 11th. Hopefully, they will also represent EHS in the state contest on April 22. Congratulations to all of the contestants and good luck to the winners of future

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By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

I used to kid people that with a last name like Mularz you had to be a good speller just to spell your own name right. Maybe it helped more than I thought! Melissa competed in the "Spelling Bee" at the Elba Elementary School recently and won the event over other students in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades, which earned her a spot in the state contest next month in Montgomery. Melissa put in a lot of long hours getting ready for the contest and must have looked over a thousand words trying to be prepared. Her hard work paid off in Elba, and even if she doesn't win at the state level, she could always challenge the winner to spell each others name. No matter how you spell it - Melissa made this Mularz a mighty proud Daddy!

FAST FINISH LIFTS ELBA RECORD TO 10-9

The Elba Tigers showed everyone that they were still very much alive last week as they pounded Andalusia and Wicksburg to close out the regular season with a 10-9 record. The two wins gave Elba a three-game winning streak to close out regular season action, and pumped life into the Tigers and their fans after a three-game losing streak had left everyone wondering what went wrong.

While the 10-9 record doesn't exactly strike fear into any of Elba's opponents, the record is deceiving, since three of the losses came to 6A Enterprise, two losses were at the hands of 1A power Brantley, and the Ti-record to 9-9, while Andalusia gers lost once each to 6A Selma and 5A Charles Henderson. Losses don't make your record look good, but they can and did pay dividends late in the season and should have the Tigers ready to go once post-season action play against the 5A Bulldogs and be-

begins this week. The big win over Andalusia was one of the most impressive of the season as the Tigers dominated the 5A Bulldogs throughout the game and to a 15-8 first quarter lead. could have won by a much greater margin, but with the win well in hand Elba's defense began to take conlet the reserves in on the fun. David Yelverton had a big night in the win trol of the game in the second stanza, as he scored 27 points, but the most pleasant surprise of the night came and the offense continued to find the from Cory Howe, a 6'3" forward, who muscled his way for 10 points range as Che Vaughan sparked the against the physical Andalusia team. Howe has the look of an intimidator with his muscular build, and against the Bulldogs used his strength to lift

The win over Wicksburg wasn't as easy as the score might make one in the third quarter as Elba remained think, as the Tigers broke loose in the second half and then simply buried on top by 15-points, and the Tigers the outmanned Panthers. Yelverton was once again the star of the show as easily held on in the final stanza as he canned two three-pointers and two slam-dunks enroute to a 29-point they posted the impressive 64-54 performance, while Che Vaughan also slammed one down and had his win. third straight game scoring in double-digits. Vaughan has improved every David Yelverton scored 27 points night out for the Tigers and showed against the Panthers that he has ar- to lead Elba, while Che Vaughan rived as one of the area's top players. Saturday night also marked the re- added 11 and Cory Howe tossed in turn of Mark Magwood's scoring punch. The senior forward had seen his 10. Matthews led Andalusia with 15 offensive output dwindle late in the season, especially in the losing streak, but against Wicksburg he scored 14 points and showed signs of pulling out of his slump. If Magwood can contribute consistently like he did early in the year, and again on Saturday night, he could be the key to the Ti-

gers' chances for success. The wins last week not only helped Elba's record, it also did wonders for their confidence. The Tigers now can have no doubts about their abilities and should be more than ready to make a run at a state title.

POST-SEASON PLAY NO PARTY FOR ELBA TIGERS

The Elba Tigers knew before the Area 4 tournament even started this week that they were assured of a trip to the sub-regionals no matter what happened in the tournament finals. The Tigers had won the regular season championship with a 3-1 slate, and by winning the title, received a bye in the opening round of the three-team tourney. With two teams advancing to sub-regional play, it didn't take a mathematical genius to figure out the Figers would advance win or lose. While that did take some pressure off

Elba, it certainly didn't make things any easier. The Louisville Red Devils and Luverne Tigers are two of Elba's biggest rivals and both teams are more than capable of knocking the Tigers off, even at Elba's own gym. Louisville closed out the season with eight wins in its last ten games and entered the tournament as the hottest team in the field, while Luverne played well all season long and held its own against every opponent on its schedule. These two teams would be favorites in many other areas across the state, but in Area 4 are always in the shadow of the Elba Tigers, and always get fired up with the anticipation of upsetting the Tigers.

The competition won't get any easier at the sub-regional level on Friday night, as the Tigers sit across from Area 1, and must play either the winner or runner-up from a group that includes St. Paul's, Southern Choctaw. UMS-Wright or Washington. Southern Choctaw is the heavy favorite and most likely will host the runner-up from the Elba tourney, while the winner in Elba will probably get the chance to host Washington County, another outstanding team. The Tigers would certainly have a better chance ments will be entry into the new (Leroy, Linden, McIntosh and Sweet playing at home, but there are no sure things in sports, and this year the tournament format adopted by the Water), while a second place finish ment will be held at Troy State Uni-Tigers will have to fight and claw just to make it to the Regional Tourney, Alabama High School Athletic As- in the tourney will send the Game-

The road looks rough and bumpy; however, the Tigers have played some mighty good teams already this season in Enterprise, Selma, Charles March 1-5. Henderson, Brantley and Andalusia, and you can bet the Tigers won't back down from anyone, regardless of the challenge.

AREA FANS ALL HOPING FOR TRIP TO TROY STATE

"Let's meet in Troy" will be the rallying cry this week as teams from The Regional Tournaments will be held on Feb.22-26, with four teresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the Bulldogs conteresting to see if the losses took anything away from the state's six classes but the runner. Southern Normal), while the runner. Southern Normal), with finals on Feb.23 at 12 noon and 1:30 p.m., son with a 5-9 record on Saturday with finals on Feb.23 at 7:00 p.m., and 8:30 p.m., be held on Feb.25 at 7:30 p.m.

The Zion Chapel Rebels competed in the Class 1A, Area 4 tourners and the state's six classes but the state's six classes but the state's six classes and the state's six classes are proving the state's six classes and the state's six classes are provi

The Regional sites include Troy fidence. Brantley owned a 40-game winning streak before falling to Monroe County and Greenville, which is quite a statement in itself, and the guess here is that the losses only served as a wake-up call for the Bull-dogs, who will bounce back with a vengeance.

NEW BROCKTON didn't exactly close out the season in grand fashion and won't scare anyone in post-season play. The Gamecocks do have the talent to win their area tournament and should get a pretty easy draw in sub-regional play; however, to do that the Gamecocks will have to play at a higher level than they have in recent weeks. If New Brockton plays its a higher level than they have in recent weeks. If New Brockton plays its a higher level than they have in recent weeks. If New Brockton plays its a higher level than they have in recent weeks. If New Brockton plays its a higher level than they have in recent weeks. If New Brockton plays its a higher level than they have in recent weeks. If New Brockton plays its a higher level than they have in recent weeks. If New Brockton plays its a higher level than they have in recent weeks. If New Brockton plays its a higher level than they have in recent weeks. If New Brockton plays its a higher level than they have in recent weeks. If New Brockton plays its a higher level than they have in recent weeks. If New Brockton plays its a higher level than they have in recent weeks. If New Brockton plays its a higher level than they have in recent weeks. If New Brockton plays its a higher level than they have in recent weeks. If New Brockton plays its a higher level than they in the Rebels and the tournest time top two they will be in action again the top two they will be in action against the top two they will be in action against the top two they will be in action against the put two they will be in action against the top two they will be in action against the put two they will be in action against the put two they will be in action against the put two they will be in action against the p

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KINSTON didn't have the kind of success it was expecting, but the Bulldogs should make it out of the area tournament and has a pretty good adopted a "Final 4" format, will be shot at making it to Troy for the 1A regionals. The Bulldogs are at the opposite end of the bracket from Brantley in the area tourney, and then even County Civic Center on March 1-5, as a runner-up wouldn't have it all that bad as they would then face a trip and will also include action for both to Frisco City or Blacksher. The 'Dogs ain't dead yet.

ZION CHAPEL has the perennial two chances that sports fans talk about, but the Rebels did improve by leaps and bounds during the season sible matchups in sub-regional and and have to be looking forward to next season. Zion Chapel has had to regional play involving area teams: piece its sports programs back together recently and it has struggled at times; however, better days are ahead in basketball real, real soon.

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Tigers end regular season with 10-9 record

Elba smashes Andalusia and Wicksburg

Tigers crush 5A Andalusia 64-54

The Elba Tigers grabbed a big first half lead and never looked back last Tuesday night as they pounded the Andalusia Bulldogs 64-54, in

The win improved the Tigers slipped to 9-14 with the loss. The Tigers came out ready to hind the scoring punch of David Yel-

Tigers to a surprising 30-15 halftime The two rivals swapped baskets

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Elba (64): Coleman 2, Vaughan 11, Yelverton 27, Smedley 5, Howe 10, Magwood 5, Rowe 4. Andalusia (54): Price 10. Bonham 13, Steele 2, Matthews 15, Sheldon 14.

(B GAME)

first quarter and trailed 42-21 after lead Elba.

ELBA'S DAVID YELVERTON scored 56 points in two games last shooting of David Yelverton as they The Elba B team saw its record week to lead the Tigers to impressive wins over Andalusia and Wicksburg. went on a 13-0 run to grab a 40-30 lead with 4:29 still left on the clock! slide to 4-9 with a 42-32 loss to An- The Tigers will compete Friday night in sub-regional action.

three quarters before staging a late Andalusia (42): Weeden 17, Semonelle 1, D. Daniels 2, Williams Elba on top 57-32 and all but put the Steele 11, Johnson 4, Clayton 5, 2, Reed 9, Peterson 4, Fleming 2, win in the bag. Michael Reed scored 9 points to Stroud 5. Marsh 6.

Tournament trail begins this week with final goal being "Final 4" in Birmingham

The "Tournament Trail" has be- cocks survived they too will be hitthe survivors of the Area Tourna- they will host the runnerup of Area 1 sociation, that will eventually lead to cocks the Area 1 winner.

Boys and girls teams in all six classes completed action in area as is the case in all classes, the top tournaments earlier this week, and now will head into a sub-regional contest in an attempt to reach one of the four Regional Tournaments.

The Regional Tournaments will classes, the top two teams will compete again tomorrow night (Friday). The winner of the Area 3 tourney will host the Area 2 runner-up (Bayside Academy, J.U. Blacksher, Frisco City and Southern Normal), while the runner-with finals on Feb.25 at 12:00 noon and 1:30 p.m., with finals on Feb.25 at 11:30 a.m. CLASS 2A - Semifinals on Feb.22 at 7:00 p.m. and 8:30 p.m., with finals on Feb.25 at 3:30 p.m.

CLASS 3A - Semifinals on Feb.25 at 3:30 p.m.

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CLASS 3A - Semifinals on Feb.25 at 7:30 p.m.

The Elba B team closed the season with a 5-9 record on Saturday night as they pounded Wicksburg

throughout regional play.

The State Tournament, which has boys and girls teams. Following are previews of pos-

"SUB-REGIONAL"

The Sub-Regional games in boys competition will take place Friday night, Feb.18, at the home gym of the various Area Tournament winners, with all games set to start at

The Elba Tigers earned an automatic spot in the sub-regionals by virtue of winning the Class 3A, Area 4 title, and the site of their subregional contest will be determined by how the Tigers did in last night's Area Tournament championship game. If Elba won the tournament. the Tigers will be at home Friday night against the runner-up in Area 1 (St. Paul's, Southern Choctaw, UMS-Wright and Washington County); however, if the Tigers placed second in the tournament, they will be on the road to play the winner in Area 1. The New Brockton Gamecocks

"REGIONAL" TOURNAMENT

The "South" Regional Tournaversity on Feb.22-26, with both boys and girls teams competing. In the boys tournament, the 12, Yelverton 29, Smedley 4, Howe the "Final 4" in Birmingham on March 1-5.

The Kinston Bulldogs and Brantley Bulldogs both competed in the schedule will be as follows:

CLASS 14 - Semifinals Boys and girls teams in all six Class 1A, Area 3 Tournament, and Feb.22 at 12:00 noon and 1:30 p.m., this 3, Smith 9, Miller 8, Hicks 2,



NEW BROCKTON GAMECOCK CHEERLEADERS...hope to have plenty to cheer about this ompeted in the Class 2A, Area 4, week as the Gamecocks begin the long tournament trail toward the State Tournament. New Brockton entered tourrea Tournament, and if the Game- nament play as the runner-up in Class 2A, Area 4.

Tigers toy with Wicksburg 80-44

The Elba Tigers closed out the regular season with a bang Saturday night as they buried the Wicksburg Panthers 80-44, in Wicksburg. The win upped Elba's record to 10-9, while Wicksburg slipped to 8-16 with the loss. Elba took command early against

the Panthers and behind the play of Will Magwood stunned Wicksburg by jumping out to an 11-2 ad-The Tigers were on top 15-8 with 2:45 left in the first quarter after a

driving layup by Che Vaughan; however, Wicksburg suddenly came to ife and scored the final nine points of the stanza to take a 17-15 lead. A thunderous slam-dunk by David Yelverton sparked a 6-0 run for the Tigers to open the second quarter as Elba moved ahead 21-17, and Yelverton scored six straight points late in the quarter as the Tigers moved on top 29-23 with 1:17 left in

Wicksburg scored five straight to move on top 29-23 with 1:17 left in the half. Wicksburg scored five straight points in the final minute of the stanza to cut the Elba lead to 29-28, but

Cory Howe tipped-in a missed shot at the buzzer and at intermission Elba went in with a 31-28 lead. The teams swapped buckets to open the third quarter as Elba's lead stood at 33-30 with 6:57 left in the stanza; however, the Tigers then aught fire and combined an aggressive full-court press with the hot went on a 13-0 run to grab a 46-30

The Panthers ended their scoring drought with 4:14 left in the quarter to pull within 46-32, but the Tigers Elba (32): Ordon 2, O. Daniels 4, responded with a 13-2 spurt that put

> The Tigers continued to pour in the points in the final stanza, and closed the game with a slam-dunk by Che Vaughan and a three-pointer by Kinston Bulldogs fall to Goshen 68-56 Will Magwood to post the lopsided 80-44 romp. David Yelverton scored 29 points to spark the Tigers, while Cory Howe added 14, Will Magwood when they fell to the Goshen Eagles 68-56, in Goshen.

Jerimy Carnley poured in 30 points to lead the Bulldogs, while Damien Maddox scored 40 points for Goshen. scored 13 and Che Vaughan tossed in 12. Rex Treadway scored 15 for Brantley blasts Luverne 73-59 The Brantley Bulldogs closed out the regular season with a 25-2 record

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Wicksburg.

Andretti Daniels scored 20 points to lea1 the Bulldogs, while Derek Caldwell added 16 and Adrian Person scored 15. Morris May led Luverne Elba (80): Coleman 2, Vaughan 14, Magwood 13, Rowe 6.

Manager Moses Penny, Geneva.

Basketball Briefs

The New Brockton Gamecocks saw their record slip to 11-10 last Tues-

Chris Flowers scored 17 points to lead New Brockton and Michael

The Brantley Bulldogs suffered their second straight loss last Tuesday night when the Greenville Tigers edged the 'Dogs 62-59, in Greenville.

The 5A Tigers jumped out to a big 27-12 lead in the second quarter,

only to see the 1A Bulldogs rally and pull even at 58-58 with 2:21 left in

the game. Greenville scored the next four points to grab a 62-58 lead;

Adrian Person scored 17 points to lead Brantley, while Derek Caldwell

Kilcrease added 13, Andretti Daniels scored 12, and Derek Caldwell and

day night when they fell to the Goshen Eagles 56-48, in New Brockton.

Truitt added 10, while Damien Maddox scored 26 for Goshen.

New Brockton falls to Goshen 56-48

Brantley trips in Greenville 62-59

added 14. Desmond Walker led Greenville with 13 points.

ight by defeating the Goshen Eagles 77-57, in Goshen.

Brantley runs past Goshen 77-57

nowever, and held on for the win.

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terah Edwards, Enterprise; Amy White and Amy Baker, both of Elba. (Standing, 1-r) Coach Brant Locklar; Stacy

Tillman, Andalusia; Milisa Slay, Geneva; Halen Hussey, Angie Grimsley and Melanie Motes, all of Enterprise;

Nicky David, Rehobeth; Tara Owens, Enterprise; Monica Key, Ariton; Beth Snow, Coffee Springs and Team

SOFTBALL

ASHFORD - There will be an unsanctioned men's softball tournament in Ashford on Feb.19. Entry fee is \$90 per team and there will be a one or three home-run limit. Deadline to enter is Feb.17 at 7:00 p.m. and to enter call Tommy Peterson at 899-7406 or Ronnie Berryhill at 899-7405.

ABBEVILLE - There will be a softball tournament for men and women at the Abbeville Sportsplex on Feb.26. The tournament will be ASA sanctioned, with an entry fee of \$90 and trophies to the top three teams and MVP. The teams of each game will decide the home-run rule. To enter call Keith Wilson at 794-4407 (after 6:00 p.m.).

HARTFORD - Hartford will host men's softball tournaments on Feb.18-19 and Feb.25-26 at the Hartford Recreation Park. Both tournaments will be unsanctioned and will have \$90 entry fees with the homerun rule to be determined by the teams in each game. Trophies will go to the top three teams and the tournaments will be limited to 16 teams. To enter the Feb.18-19 tourney call Scott Baldwin at 588-2085, and to enter the Feb.25-26 tourney call Warren Weeks at 588-2943.

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FORMER ELBA LADY TIGERS ON ESJC SOFTBALL TEAM....The En- ELBA'S NATIONAL CHAMPIONS GET VISIT FROM GOV. FOLSOM....Members of the

terprise State Junior College Lady Boll Weevils are ready to begin the 1994 softball season, and helping ESJC this University of North Alabama's 1993 NCAA Division II National Championship football team were honored re-

season will be two members of the 1993 Elba Lady Tigers. Amy White and Amy Baker, both former standouts for cently by a visit from Alabama Governor Jim Folsom. Elba players honored by Gov. Folsom and Coach Bobby

the Lady Tigers, are attending ESJC on scholarships and are being counted on to lead the Lady Weevils to a winning season. Pictured above are the 1994 ESJC Lady Boll Weevils (kneeling, 1-r) Team Manager Melinda Carlineman Julius Peterson. The Lions finished the 1993 season with a perfect 13-0 record and became only the sec-

rington, Dawn Wilkins and Jennifer Bodwell, all of Enterprise; Meme Morris, Geneva; Missy Hogan, Troy; Ku- ond school in NCAA Division II history to have won a national championship in both football and basketball.

REGIONAL TOURNAMENT SHOULD BE EXCITING

When the AHSAA revamped its high school basketball tournament many fans were afraid that it would hurt the program, but with the first Regional Tournaments just a few days away, I am convinced that the overall format will create more excitement than has been seen in many years in the state of Alabama. Since the state split into six classifications years ago the excitement in basketball has dwindled, and in recent years the State Tournaments have also suffered from a lack of interest. I'm not making any predictions about the State Tournament, although I feel the return to one site for all classes will provide a real boost; however, I can't help but believe that the Regional Tournaments will be a huge success. Many basketball fans simply don't have the time or money to travel to a state tournament, whether it be in Tuscaloosa, Auburn or SAA. The proposal to give the private schools the boot does have some now Birmingham. That doesn't mean they aren't fans, and it will show next week when the "South" gathers at Troy State. Imagine a tournament in Troy that could include Coffeeville, Frisco City, Brantley and Houston give academic scholarships to students, and I can remember a number of give academic scholarships to students, and I can remember a number of Academy in 1A; McIntosh, J.F. Shields, Samson and Georgiana in 2A; years ago when Elba played a private school from Mobile in basketball, Southern Choctaw, Keith, Houston County and Elba in 3A; T.R. Miller, and the school's team had a 6'6" center that was on scholarship. One of Pike County, Daleville and Abbeville in 4A; Williamson, Escambia the school's coaches told me the player's scholarship was based on need, The Brantley Bulldogs snapped their two-game losing streak Thursday

County, Jackson and Greenville in 5A; and Murphy, LeFlore, Fairhope

but I had to wonder if the real need was for the school's basketball team and Dothan in 6A. And that's the boys side of the tournament, because to have a 6'6" center. If the private schools would agree to a policy con-Adrian Person scored 22 points to lead Brantley (24-2), while Andrew there will also be four girls teams from all six classes in Troy playing at the same site as the boys.

any better than this!' **Red Cross Benefit**

GolfTournament The Kinston Bulldogs dropped their regular season finale Friday night planned for Feb. 26th The Coffee County Chapter American Red Cross will present its first-ever Benefit Golf Tournament Saturday, February 26, at Enterpris Country Club. The 2-man scramb will begin at noon. Entry fees will be \$20 per person. Proceeds from the on Friday night with a solid 73-59 win over the Luverne Tigers, in Lugolf tournament will be used to support the local Disaster Relief Fund which allows the chapter to assist

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***I know it was written in jest, but a column last weekend by a Montgomery sportswriter pushing Charles Barkley for the head basketball job at Auburn wasn't that bad an idea. Barkley has had to have learned something about basketball during his career and he certainly wouldn't back down from any situation. Barkley has said he wants to be Alabama's first black governor, but just might settle for being the head man at Auburn, at

least for a while. Think about it. ***When the Alabama High School Athletic Association gathers its Legislative Council in March, it will decide the fate of the 25 private schools across the state that compete with the public schools in the AHsupport, especially in the small school ranks, and should be given real consideration before being voted on. Many of the schools in question do cerning their distribution of scholarships, and possibly adopt a waiting period for such scholarship students to participate in athletics, the problem Jimmy Burnett tossed in 11 points apiece. Damien Maddox scored 25 for

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HOGS (ELBA MK'T ONLY: Compared to week ago, Barrows & Gilts: 2.50 Higher, US 1-3, 200-220 lbs, 46.25; 220-260 lbs, 47.60; 260-280 lbs, 47.50-48.20; Sows: To Few; Feeder Pigs: 10.00-15.00 Higher, US 1-3, 25-35 lbs, 65,00-74.00; 50-80 lbs, 67.00-73.00; US 2-3 50-80 lbs, 55.00-67.00. Boars: To Few, Over 300 lbs, 24.00-25.00;

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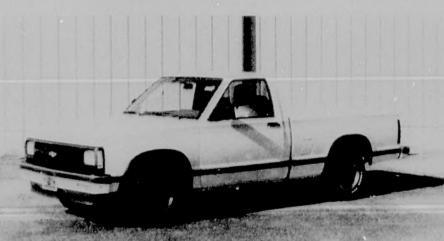
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Elba BOE makes changes in policy

by Ferrin Cox

approved two changes to policies. halls and cafeteria. One is a board policy dealing with requirements for admission to Elba schools and the second is a code of Those maintaining an "A" average conduct and discipline plan for the in conduct for the six weeks will

The "Code of Conduct and Assigned by a group of the elementary | duct" party with a special party | school teachers. This committee met | theme with the school board last week and | 2. Their picture and name in The official blessings before the proposal Elba Clipper with an article. was explained to students and parents. It is now in force. Copies of the new policy were given to students and thanking the parents for their and sent home to parents last week. There is a form to be returned to the 4. Recognition at break t school. This form is on the last page present the letters for their parand must be signed by the student ents. and a parent and will be placed in 5. A good conduct ribbon to wear the student's folder. The signature is the day of their party. not to show approval of the policy,

but acknowledges receipt of it. incorrect discipline and the pun- qualified by a poor conduct grade, ishment for infractions. Teachers ex- teachers explained. Their reasoning plained to the board members that for this was that some students might they would be recording behavior misbehave and still learn, but their problems of each students in grade talking, etc., would be creating an books. Each time a student breaks a environment that would hinder other

ecognized at Honor's Day with an will be notified (by mail) of the first Honorable Conduct Award. trip and the student is expected to 2. Use correct voice for the activ-

Steve E. Blair has announced his

The Democratic candidate is sub-

Blair served as juvenile probation

He graduated from the University

candidacy for the position of District

ject to the primary elections on June

officer for Coffee County from

of Alabama School of Law in 1985. Following law school, Blair interned as judicial law clerk to Judge Wil-

liam Bowen, Alabama Court of

Blair has been engaged in the practice of law since 1986 and main-

The candidate is a member of the

Alabama and Coffee County Bar as-

sociations and is authorized to prac-

tice before the 11th Circuit federal

tains his office in Enterprise.

the Enterprise YMCA.

1979-1992.

Criminal Appeals.

Judge, Coffee County, Alabama.

receive the following:

sertive Discipline Plan" was de- 1. An invitation to a "good con-

• Those who maintain an "A" av- Parents of students who are sent erage for the entire semester will be to the office for discipline problems explain the offense to the parent. sult in the child being sent home for mo the remainder of the day.

The third trip to the office will re-5. Use appropriate behavior on sult in a three day suspension. Stuschool campus. Examples: bath- dents in grade K-3 will be sent home The Elba City School Board has rooms, bus loading zone, gym, in the care of a parent. Students suspended in grades 4-6 will be sent to In-School Suspension at Elba High

classwork and homework assign-

A fourth trip to the office will result in a five day suspension and a warning to parents that further discipline problems will be referred to the juvenile authorities. Superintendent Charles Pearce noted that official board policy still allows for corporal punishment (paddling) under a strict set of guide-

SCHOOL ADMISSION POLICY The Board policy dealing with school admission was amended. The



policy already requires proof of imNEW INTERSECTION BECOMING DANGEROUS...or rather has already become dangerous. On Wednesmunization for various com-day, Feb. 16, another wreck occurred at the new intersection of Simmons Street and East Davis (U.S. Hwy. 84W). municable diseases, a written objection, which is near Runt's Texaco Station, has been open to traffic for only a few months and already The plan spells out to the student A student can qualify for the honwhat constitutes correct discipline, or roll in other areas but be disthe shots would be detrimental to the Wednesday sent four persons to the hospital. They were: Gertrude and Marvin Parker, passenger and driver of a 1979 Ford pick-up; and Tabetha Hudson and her daughter, Heather, driver and passenger in a 1984 Chevrolet Ca-Please See BOE, Page 2 mero. All were treated and later released from Elba General Hospital. When approaching both of the above locations, one should be EXTRA CAREFUL.

Editor

jects had been shot on Reynolds area.

Elba General Hospital.

Shooting incident in Mulberry Heights sends four individual to local hospital

curred Sunday evening resulted in found that two persons had been

four individuals being carried to injured in an automobile accident

Two men were struck by gun- 31, and her daughter, Marquita fire while two other individuals, a Burks, age 7, were injured when

mother and daughter, were in- the automobile in which they volved in a wreck as an indirect were riding was struck by a vehi-

According to Lt. Freddy Hanchey, at approximately 8:05 p.m. ing incident.

According to authorities, the

in the evening, Elba police re- car which hit the Burks' car was

Upon their arrival, police the hospital while Magwood was found two men who had been transported to a Dothan hospital.

of Birmingham, Alabama was At press time, Elba police are

wounded by gunfire in the right continuing the investigation and

leg. Bobby Frank Jordan, age 29, further details will be released at

shot. Amanuel Magwood, age 32, Jordan was treated and released.

rule, two points will be deducted from the student's conduct grade. They will also be rewarding students for good conduct. Those who maintain an "A" av Those who maintain an "A" av environment that would hinder other students from learning. Three offenses on the same day will result in a trip to the principal's office for discipline. Elba W&E Board to install 10,000 gallon water tank

by Ferrin Cox Publisher

get an unused 10,000 gallon water tank moved to Packing House Road 1. Follow directions the first time

The second trip to the office will re
The Elba Water & Electric Board and hooked into the water system. thly meeting Monday evening The cost will be be five or six thou-

was basically routine. Business con-sand dollars, estimated Water Super-If no contact with the parents can sisted of paying of the monthly bills visor Dennis Coleman. be made, the discipline form will in- and a vote to move forward with ear- Monthly bills of \$34,448 were ap-3. Keep hands, feet, objects and negative comments to yourself.

4. Raise your hand for per
dicate that the child cannot return to school until 11:30 the following day and must be accompanied by a par
Water supply problems in the water tank on Packing House Road.

Water supply problems in the Worksman's Comp insurance.

Board Chairman Mickey Murdicate that the child cannot return to lier plans to install a 10,000 gallon proved for payment. This included dock commented that without the in-

would have been less than normal. "A number of issues confront the Murdock reviewed the financial sponded to a complaint in Mulberry. Police were told that subdistrict court. While many of the problems involve social questions, noted no unusual increases or dethe district judge must respond with creases in year-to-date totals. a decision limited by law and further limited by resources.

Engineer Bobby Lee presented the Board with bids on the cleaning,

controlled substances." births, especially among teenage mothers, are at a record high. While

He is an active board member of mer Jerri Spence. They have Crimestoppers and an instructor at daughter, Lindsey, and attend the Enterprise YMCA.

John's Catholic Church. Blair, a 38-year-old resident of The following statement

HAPPENINGS * *

FREE INCOME TAX PREPARATION The AARP (American As-

sociation of Retired Persons) is sponsoring free income tax preparation at the Senior Citizens' Center in Elba. The service will be available each Thursday through April 15th from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Individuals or couples taking advantage of the service should bring their tax forms and copies of their 1992 tax returns

Steve Blair enters race for District Judge surance bill and some required engineering fees, the monthly bills

limited by resources. "Violence, intimidation and drugs repairing and painting of the 500,000 gallon water tank on Brantley Highthe response by the judicial system must be certain, swift and decisive.

S. Tank of Chipley, FL. The Board of Elba was wounded in the right leg. Bobby Frank Jordan, age 29, of Elba was wounded in the right a latter date. The goal of education cannot be tabled any action on this until the achieved when students and faculty March meeting. are fearful of their safety and the minds of students are clouded by

insure that parents either financially morning.

Coffee County, is married to the for- made by the candidate:

Blair continued, "Illegitimate or continued, "Illegitimate irths, especially among teenage or continued or continued, "Illegitimate or continu

the solution to the problem in the Enterprise businessman Dwight first instance may be beyond control Adams announced his candidacy for of the judiciary, the district court can the State Senate, District 31 Monday support their children or go to jail.

Adams, a Republican and well-known resident of the Wiregrass, tially created to provide an inexpen- made his announcement at the Enter-

area of Kelley Foods prompted the

board members to approve action to

sive form for resolving civil disputes prise City Council Chamber. over matters involving less than "I believe the time has come for \$1500. However, the legislature, someone to say 'enough.' I believe when it created the small claims diit's time for the taxpayers to grab the vision, did not provide a practical or reins and pull this thing to a expedient way for the prevailing par-stop...before it's too late! For years the professional politicians have offered us the same tired promises, time after time. Please See RACE, Page 2 "They have promised year after year to help with the problems work-

ty to collect the judgement.

Elba's Lions Club members hear history of Work Release Program

FREE VISION SCREENING. The Southern Eye Institute and the Elba Medical Group will sponsor a free vision screening on Friday, Feb. 25th. The public is invited to attend from 9:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. at Medical Arts Pharmacy in Elba located on Highland Dr. across from Elba General Hospital.

ED GULLION

CEMETERY MEETING. The annual business meeting of the Danley's Crossroads Cemetery will be held at 10:00 a.m., March 5th. The meeting will convene in the polling house adjacent to the cemetery. All those interested in the upkeep and maintenance of the cemetery are invited and encouraged to attend this meeting.

BOOK FAIR The Elba Elementary School is hosting a Scholastic Book Fair on February 28 through March 4 from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the school's library. This reading event features the newest titles from over 70 publishers and presents students, parents and teachers a golden opportunity to see the latest works by popular authors and illustrators of books for young readers.

ELBA JAYCEE FUNDRAISER. The Elba Jaycees will be sponsoring a Womaniem Beauty Pageant, "Miss Foggy Bottom," on Saturday, March 19, 1994 at 1:00 p.m. The event will be held at the American Legion building located on the Troy Highway. Anyone wishing to enter the contest or needs more information can contact Scott Flowers @ 897-2761 or Susan Forbes @ 897-2997. The dead-line for entering the contest is Saturday, March 12th.

DWIGHT ADAMS

ing families face: jobs, education, Elba police recently concluded an On February 8, 1994, Ed Gullion of the Alabama Department of Corrections at the Elba Work Release Facility was the guest speaker for the Elba Lions Club. Mr. Gullion gave a Figure 1994, Ed Gullion of the history of the program. He have done nothing but increase the shelly Cunningham of Enterprise. He was charged with rape in the second design is to confer upon the inmates face: Jobs, education, investigation that led to the arrest of Shelly Cunningham of Enterprise. He was charged with rape in the second design is to confer upon the inmates is getting bigger and more intrusive and the state of the program. The program's feather their own nests. Government ond degree.

Cunningham of Enterprise. He was charged with rape in the second design is to confer upon the inmates in the second of the program. He was charged with rape in the second of the program of the was charged with rape in the second of the program of the program

> ly.
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> Mr. Gullion said one of the selling points of the work release program is the reliability of the imate worker. They are going to be at the job on time and ready to work. The and took back our State Government of Human Resources in the resource of the worker and took back our State Government of Human Resources. only exception being if the individual is sick and unable to perform his assigned tasks.
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> The program also gives the inmate an opportunity to budget and save his money so that when he is released from the prison system, he will sustain adequate funds that will enable him to reestablish himself and took back our State Government. It's time for the people of Alabama to say NO to the professional politician, 'The party's over.' It is time for a person to step forward whose only special interest is the individual taxpayer of our state.
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> "Then we can join together and work hard to make real progress: to enable him to reestablish himself businesses grow and serve up to 20 years in prison No.

better treatment than victims, reform the welfare system and see that we do all we can to help rebuild the traditional family unit in Alabama." Adams says, "For 50 years we've tried things the professional politicians' way. Let's try it the peoples' way. During my career, I have found that success comes by applying solid principles to complex business and civic issues," he continued. "And I am convinced that those

arm. They were taken to the hos

Also responding to the scene

Reportedly, Sharon Burks, age

The Burks were admitted to

was a unit of the Elba Rescue

pital by private vehicle.

Please See SEAT, Page 2

Elba police arrest Enterprise man in rape case

a responsible work ethic back into every day...and we, the taxpayers, the individual. Another objective of the program is to remove the inmate issues that affect our daily lives.

and their family from the tax rolls by ensuring the inmate is gainfully employed and the inmate is gainfully employed and the inmate is financially stable to render support to his family.

Cunningham, age 38, of Route 3, Box 36, Hillview Trailer Court, was arrested on February 10 and released on a \$7,500 bond that same day.

Elba Police Chief Jack Parker said he could not release any information about the victim except that those in government assume their correct role, as servants of the people and not the master.

enable him to reestablish himself into society as a tax-paying, productive citizen.

Will sustain adequate funds that will work hard to make real progress, to in convicted, Cumingham could serve up to 20 years in prison. No preliminary hearing in the incident has been scheduled at this time.

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